COUNTY OF LOS ANGELES

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OFFICE CORRESPONDENCE

DATE: June 8, 2017
FILE:

FROM: ALICIA E. AULT, COMMANDER
PROFESSIONAL STANDARDS
AND TRAINING DIVISION

TO: JAMES P. WOLAK, CAPTAIN
LAKEWOOD STATION

SUBJECT: EXECUTIVE FORCE REVIEW COMMITTEE FINDINGS

Case Number:	SH2406271
Incident:	Deputy Involved Non Hit Shooting
Incident Date:	June 23, 2016
Unit:	Lakewood Station
Suspect(s):	Martinez, Juan MH/071976
Involved Employees:	Deputy Christopher Allende [redacted] Deputy Michael Abbott [redacted] Deputy Chad Vanden Berg [redacted]
EFRC Date:	June 8, 2017

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SUBJECT: EXECUTIVE FORCE REVIEW COMMITTEE FINDINGS

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Incident:	Deputy Involved Non Hit Shooting
Incident Date:	June 23, 2016
Unit:	Cerritos Station
Suspect(s):	Martinez, Juan MH/071976
Involved Employees:	Deputy Randolph Meyers #[redacted]
EFRC Date:	June 8, 2017

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Los Angeles County Sheriff's Department
Officer Involved Shooting

Report Date:	Bureau/Station/Facility:	Admin. Invest.?	Hit?
June 1, 2017	South Patrol / Lakewood Station	[x]	[ ]

Incident Information

URN: 016-13566-1334-055	Date: June 23, 2016 — Time: 2249 Hours
City or Station: Bellflower	Nature of Incident: Deputy Involved Shooting - Non Hit
[redacted]isa Avenue Bellflower, CA. 90707	

Location Type (check one or more):
- [ ] Backyard
- [ ] Beach
- [ ] Business
- [ ] Freeway
- [ ] Industrial
- [ ] Park
- [ ] Parking Lot
- [ ] Residence
- [ ] Rural
- [ ] School
- [x] Street
- Other:

Lighting (check only one):
- [ ] Darkness
- [ ] Daylight
- [ ] Other
- [x] Street Lights

Weather (circle only one):
- [x] Clear
- [ ] Cloudy
- [ ] Fog
- [ ] Rain

Distance:

Incident Type (check one or more):
- [ ] Accidental
- [x] Armed Person
- [ ] Fleeing Suspect
- [ ] Foot Pursuit
- [ ] Gun Take Away
- [ ] Moving Vehicle
- [ ] Sniper/Ambush
- [ ] Startle
- [ ] Struggle Involved
- [ ] Traffic Stop
- [ ] Unarmed Person
- [ ] Unintentional
- [ ] Vehicle Pursuit
- [ ] Warrant Service
- [ ] Warning Shot
- Other:

Initiated by (check only one):
- [ ] Arrest Warrant
- [ ] Call
- [x] Observation
- [ ] One Person Unit
- [ ] Other
- [ ] Search Warrant
- [ ] Two Person Unit

Prior Activity (check only one):
- [ ] Detective
- [ ] Inmate Transport
- [x] Other
- [ ] Routine Patrol

Aero Unit? [x] Canine Unit? [x]

Total # of Shots Fired by Deputy	Total # of Shots Fired by Suspect
35	10

Employee Witnesses

Employee #	Last Name	First Name	M.I.	ShiftTime (check only one)	ShiftType (check only one)
[redacted]	Colbert	James	J.	[ ] EM [x] PM [ ] Day	[x] Regular [ ] Overtime [ ] Off Duty
[redacted]	[redacted]	[redacted]	[redacted]	[redacted]	[redacted]
[redacted]	Butao	Oscar	R.	[ ] EM [x] PM [ ] Day	[ ] Regular [x] Overtime [ ] Off Duty

Non-Employee Witnesses

Last Name	First Name	M.I.
[redacted]	[redacted]	[redacted]
Street Address: [redacted]	City: [redacted]	Zip: [redacted] Work Ph: [redacted] Home Ph: [redacted]
[redacted]	[redacted]	[redacted]
Street Address: [redacted]	City: [redacted]	Zip: [redacted] Work Ph: [redacted] Home Ph: [redacted]
[redacted]	[redacted]	[redacted]
Street Address: [redacted]	City: [redacted]	Zip: [redacted] Work Ph: [redacted] Home Ph: [redacted]

Supervisors

Employee #	Last Name	First Name	M.I.	(check one or more)
[redacted]	Butao	Oscar	R.	[ ] On Duty [ ] Present during shooting [x] Witness to shooting [ ] Involved in shooting
[redacted]	Milliman	Timothy	B.	[ ] On Duty [ ] Present during shooting [x] Witness to shooting [ ] Involved in shooting

Watch Sergeant

Employee #	Last Name	First Name	M.I.
[redacted]	Jobling	James	R.

Watch Commander

Employee #	Last Name	First Name	M.I.
[redacted]	Hutak	Jodie	L.

PSTD Use Only

SH # 2406271

Officer Involved Shooting

N: 016-13566-1334-055

Rollout Information

Arrival Date	Arrival Time	Date Submitted	Date of Recommendation
06/24/16	0030	06/24/16	

Employee #	Last Name	First Name	M.I.
[redacted]	Jordan	James	T.
[redacted]	[redacted]	[redacted]	[redacted]
[redacted]	Watters	Dennis	M.

Shooting / Force Information

Method

(AW) Arwen
(BC) Baton:(Control)
(BI) Baton:(Impact)
(BF) Bodily Fluids
(CN) Canine
(CR) Carotid Restraint
(CH) Choke Hold
(CT) Control Holds:(Control Techniques)
(TT) Control Holds:(Team Takedown)
(TD) Control Holds:(Takedown)
(CE) Chemical
(OC) Chemical Agents (OC Spray)
(TG) Chemical Agents (Tear Gas)
(EX) Explosives
(FH) Firearm (Handgun)
(FR) Firearm (Rifle)
(FS) Firearm (Shotgun)
(FO) Firearm (Other)
(FB) Flashbang
(FL) Flashlight
(OE) Other Weapon: Edged
(OV) Other Weapon: Vehicle
(OB) Other Weapon: Blunt Object
(OO) Other Weapon: Other
(PK) Personal Weapon: Feet/Leg: (Kick)
(PS) Personal Weapon: Feet/Leg: (Sweep)
(PH) Personal Weapon (Hand/Arm)
(PP) Personal Weapon (Push)
(PO) Personal Weapon (Other)
(RS) Resistance
(CN) Restraint Device (Capture Net)
(RH) Restraint Device (Handcuffs)
(HB) Restraint Device:Hobble (Legs Only)
(TP) Restraint Device:Hobble (TARP)
(RE) Restraint Device: REACT Belt
(SP) Sap
(SH) Shield
(SG) 37mm Stinger
(SB) Sting Ball
(ST) Stun Bag
(TR) Taser
(UC) Uncooperative

Type of Injury

(AB) Abrasion
(BR) Bruise
(BU) Burn
(CP) Complaint of Pain
(CO) Concussion
(DH) Death
(DI) Dislocation
(DB) Dog Bite
(FR) Fractures
(GS) Gunshot
(HB) Human Bite
(LC) Lacerations
(ND) Nerve Damage
(OD) Organ Damage
(PA) Paralysis
(PW) Puncture Wound
(SD) Soft Tissue Damage
(ST) Sprain/Twists
(UN) Unconscious

(RM) Refused Med Treatment

(NN) NONE

Body Part Injured

(AD) Abdomen
(AK) Ankle
(AR) Arm
(BK) Back
(BT) Buttocks
(CH) Chest
(EL) Elbow
(FA) Face
(FE) Feet
(FI) Fingers
(GE) Genitals
(GR) Groin
(HD) Hand
(HE) Head
(HI) Hip
(IN) Internal
(KN) Knees
(LE) Leg
(NK) Neck
(SH) Shoulder
(WR) Wrist

Brand

(AK) AK-47
(BN) Benelli
(BR) Beretta
(BW) Browning
(CH) Charter Arms
(CO) Colt
(DA) Davis Industries
(GL) Glock
(HA) Harrington & Richardson
(HI) Hi Standard
(HK) H & K
(IT) Ithica
(IV) Iver Johnson
(JE) Jennings
(LO) Lorcin
(LU) Luger
(MA) Marlin
(MO) Mossberg
(NC) NCI aka SKS
(NA) North American
(NO) Norinco
(RA) Raven
(RM) Remington
(RG) RG
(RI) RGI
(RO) Rossi
(SW) Smith & Wesson
(SR) Sturm Ruger
(SS) SIG Sauer
(ST) Sterling
(TA) Taurus
(WE) Weatherby
(WN) Winchester
(US) US Government
(YY) Handmade (Inmate)
(XX) Homemade (Non-Inmate)
(ZZ) Other Brand

Caliber

(9) 9 mm
(10) 10 mm
(12) 12 guage
(20) 20 guage
(21) .22-250
(22) .22 caliber
(23) .223 caliber
(24) .243 caliber
(25) .25 caliber
(30) .308 caliber
(35) .357 caliber
(36) 30-60 caliber
(38) .38 caliber
(40) .40 caliber
(41) .410 guage
(44) .44 caliber
(45) .45 caliber
(50) 50 mm
(SL) Slug
(WW) Other caliber

FORCE APPLIED *(one code per block)*

Used By (E# or S#)	Used Against (E# or S#)	Method (Code)	Brand (Code)	Caliber (Code)	Authorized Weapon? (Y/N)	Authorized Ammunition? (Y/N)	Type of Injury (Code)	Body Part (Code)
S#1	E#1	FH	GL	9			GS	AR
S#1	E#1	FH	GL	9			GS	AR
S#1	E#1	FH	GL	9			BR	AD
E#1	S#1	FH	SS	45	Y	Y	NN	NN
S#1	E#4	FH	GL	9			GS	CH
S#1	E#2	FH	GL	9			NN	NN
S#1	E#3	FH	GL	9			NN	NN
E#2	S#1	FH	SW	9	Y	Y	NN	NN
E#3	S#1	FH	SS	9	Y	Y	NN	NN

Officer Involved Shooting
Involved Employee Information

URN: 016-13566-1334-055

Involved Employee

E 1

Employee # [redacted]	Last Name: Allende	First Name: Christopher	M.I.: D.
Sex: M Race: H	Rank: Deputy	Unit Assignment: Lakewood	Work Assignment (Unit #, Module, etc.): DUI Checkpoint
ShiftTime (*circle only one*): ☐ EM ☑ PM ☐ Day	ShiftType (*circle only one*): ☐ Regular ☑ Overtime ☐ Off Duty	Intoxication/Drug Usage? ☐	Substance Used:
Hospital Admission? ☑	Hospital Name: Long Beach Memorial	Coroner Case? ☐	Coroner Case # / Interviewed? ☐
Hrs of sleep prior to shooting: 7	Duty [redacted]	Clothing (*circle only one*): ☐ Plain Clothes no Vest ☐ Plain Clothes w/ Vest ☐ Raid Jacket no Vest ☐ Raid Jacket w/ Vest ☐ Uniform no Vest ☑ Uniform w/ Vest	Other Factors:
Age: [redacted]	Height: 6'00" Weight: 195		
Range Qualification Date: [redacted]	PPC Qualification Date: [redacted]	Laser Training Date: [redacted]	
Certified with Weapon Used? [redacted]	Patrol Certification? [redacted]	Certification Unit: [redacted]	Prior Shootings? [redacted] Number of Prior Shootings: [redacted] Directed Force: [redacted]
Weapons Fired Brand: Sig Sauer	Caliber: 45 # Shots: 9	Weapons Fired Brand:	Caliber: # Shots:
Field Training Officer Emp # [redacted]	[redacted]ast Name [redacted]	First Name [redacted]	M.I. [redacted]
Field Training Officer Emp # [redacted]	ast Name [redacted]	First Name [redacted]	M.I. [redacted]

E 2

Employee # [redacted]	Last Name: Meyers	First Name: Randolph	M.I.: S.
Sex: M Race: W	Rank: Deputy	Unit Assignment: Cerritos	Work Assignment (Unit #, Module, etc.): DUI Checkpoint
ShiftTime (*circle only one*): ☐ EM ☑ PM ☐ Day	ShiftType (*circle only one*): ☐ Regular ☑ Overtime ☐ Off Duty	Intoxication/Drug Usage? ☐	Substance Used:
Hospital Admission? ☐	Hospital Name:	Coroner Case? ☐	Coroner Case # / Interviewed? ☐
Hrs of sleep prior to shooting: 8	Duty [redacted]	Clothing (*circle only one*): ☐ Plain Clothes no Vest ☐ Plain Clothes w/ Vest ☐ Raid Jacket no Vest ☐ Raid Jacket w/ Vest ☐ Uniform no Vest ☑ Uniform w/ Vest	Other Factors:
Age: [redacted]	Height: 5'10" Weight: 180		
Range Qualification Date: [redacted]	PPC Qualification Date: [redacted]	Laser Training Date: [redacted]	
Certified with Weapo [redacted] Used?	Patrol Certification? [redacted]	Certification Unit: [redacted]	Prior Shootings? [redacted] Number of Prior Shootings: [redacted] Directed Force: [redacted]
Weapons Fired Brand: Smith & Wesson	Caliber: 9 # Shots: 9	Weapons Fired Brand:	Caliber: # Shots:
Field Training Officer Emp # [redacted]	ast Name [redacted]	First Name [redacted]	M.I. [redacted]
Field Training Officer Emp # [redacted]	ast Name [redacted]	First Name [redacted]	M.I. [redacted]

E 3

Employee # [redacted]	Last Name: Abbot	First Name: Michael	M.I.: J.
Sex: M Race: W	Rank: Deputy	Unit Assignment: Lakewood	Work Assignment (Unit #, Module, etc.): DUI Checkpoint
ShiftTime (*circle only one*): ☐ EM ☑ PM ☐ Day	ShiftType (*circle only one*): ☐ Regular ☑ Overtime ☐ Off Duty	Intoxication/Drug Usage? ☐	Substance Used:
Hospital Admission? ☐	Hospital Name:	Coroner Case? ☐	Coroner Case # / Interviewed? ☐
Hrs of sleep prior to shooting: 7	Duty [redacted]	Clothing (*circle only one*): ☐ Plain Clothes no Vest ☐ Plain Clothes w/ Vest ☐ Raid Jacket no Vest ☐ Raid Jacket w/ Vest ☑ Uniform no Vest ☐ Uniform w/ Vest	Other Factors:
Age: [redacted]	Height: 5'10" Weight: 265		
Range Qualification Date: [redacted]	PPC Qualification Date: [redacted]	Laser Training Date: [redacted]	
Certified with Weapon [redacted] Used?	Patrol Certification? [redacted]	Certification Unit: [redacted]	Prior Shootings? [redacted] Number of Prior Shootings: [redacted] Directed Force: [redacted]
Weapons Fired Brand: Sig Sauer	Caliber: 9 # Shots: 18	Weapons Fired Brand:	Caliber: # Shots:
Field Training Officer Emp # [redacted]	ast Name [redacted]	First Name [redacted]	M.I. [redacted]
Field Training Officer Emp [redacted]	ast Name [redacted]	First Name [redacted]	M.I. [redacted]

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Officer Involved Shooting
Involved Employee Information

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Involved Employee

E 4

Employee # [redacted] | Last Name: Vanden Berg | First Name: Chad | M.I.: E.

Sex: M | Race: W | Rank: Deputy | Unit Assignment: Lakewood | Work Assignment (Unit #, Module, etc.): SAO Team (Bellflower)

ShiftTime (*circle only one*): ☐ EM ☑ PM ☐ Day | ShiftType (*circle only one*): ☑ Regular ☐ Overtime ☐ Off Duty | Intoxication/Drug Usage? ☐ | Substance Used:

Hospital Admission? ☑ | Hospital Name: Long Beach Memorial | Coroner Case? ☐ | Coroner Case # | Interviewed? ☐

Hrs of sleep prior to shooting: 6 | Duty [redacted] | Clothing (*circle only one*): ☑ Plain Clothes no Vest ☐ Plain Clothes w/ Vest ☐ Raid Jacket no Vest ☐ Raid Jacket w/ Vest ☐ Uniform no Vest ☐ Uniform w/ Vest | Other Factors:

Age: [redacted] | Height: 6'04" | Weight: 235

Range Qualification Date: [redacted] | PPC Qualification Date: [redacted] | Laser Training Date: [redacted]

Certified with Weapon Used? [redacted] | Patrol Certification? [redacted] | Certification Unit: [redacted] | Prior Shootings? [redacted] | Number of Prior Shootings: [redacted] | Directed Force: [redacted]

Weapons Fired Brand: | Caliber | # Shots | Weapons Fired Brand: | Caliber | # Shots

Field Training Officer Emp # [redacted] Last Name [redacted] | First Name [redacted] | M.I. [redacted]

Field Training Officer Emp # [redacted] Last Name [redacted] | First Name [redacted] | M.I. [redacted]

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Employee # | Last Name | First Name | M.I.

Sex: | Race: | Rank: | Unit Assignment: | Work Assignment (Unit #, Module, etc.):

ShiftTime (*circle only one*): ☐ EM ☐ PM ☐ Day | ShiftType (*circle only one*): ☐ Regular ☐ Overtime ☐ Off Duty | Intoxication/Drug Usage? ☐ | Substance Used:

Hospital Admission? ☐ | Hospital Name: | Coroner Case? ☐ | Coroner Case # | Interviewed? ☐

Hrs of sleep prior to shooting: | Duty Time (hrs): | Clothing (*circle only one*): ☐ Plain Clothes no Vest ☐ Plain Clothes w/ Vest ☐ Raid Jacket no Vest ☐ Raid Jacket w/ Vest ☐ Uniform no Vest ☐ Uniform w/ Vest | Other Factors:

Age: | Height: | Weight:

Range Qualification Date: | PPC Qualification Date: | Laser Training Date:

Certified with Weapon Used? ☐ | Patrol Certification? ☐ | Certification Unit: | Prior Shootings? ☐ | Number of Prior Shootings: | Directed Force: ☐

Weapons Fired Brand: | Caliber | # Shots | Weapons Fired Brand: | Caliber | # Shots

Field Training Officer Emp # | Last Name | First Name | M.I.

Field Training Officer Emp # | Last Name | First Name | M.I.

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Employee # | Last Name | First Name | M.I.

Sex: | Race: | Rank: | Unit Assignment: | Work Assignment (Unit #, Module, etc.):

ShiftTime (*circle only one*): ☐ EM ☐ PM ☐ Day | ShiftType (*circle only one*): ☐ Regular ☐ Overtime ☐ Off Duty | Intoxication/Drug Usage? ☐ | Substance Used:

Hospital Admission? ☐ | Hospital Name: | Coroner Case? ☐ | Coroner Case # | Interviewed? ☐

Hrs of sleep prior to shooting: | Duty Time (hrs): | Clothing (*circle only one*): ☐ Plain Clothes no Vest ☐ Plain Clothes w/ Vest ☐ Raid Jacket no Vest ☐ Raid Jacket w/ Vest ☐ Uniform no Vest ☐ Uniform w/ Vest | Other Factors:

Age: | Height: | Weight:

Range Qualification Date: | PPC Qualification Date: | Laser Training Date:

Certified with Weapon Used? ☐ | Patrol Certification? ☐ | Certification Unit: | Prior Shootings? ☐ | Number of Prior Shootings: | Directed Force: ☐

Weapons Fired Brand: | Caliber | # Shots | Weapons Fired Brand: | Caliber | # Shots

Field Training Officer Emp # | Last Name | First Name | M.I.

Field Training Officer Emp # | Last Name | First Name | M.I.

Officer Involved Shooting Suspect Information

URN: 016-13566-1334-055

Suspect Information

S 1

Last Name: Martinez	First Name: Juan	M.I. M.
AKA Last Name:	First Name:	M.I.

Sex: M Race: H	Street Add[redacted]	City [redacted]	[redacted] Zip [redacted]
Work Phone:	Home [redacted]	Social Secu[redacted]	Driver's Licens[redacted]
Age: 39 D.O.B. 07/19/76	Height: 6'00" Weight: 215	FBI # [redacted]	CII # [redacted]
Booking # 4703469	Primary Charge: A187(A) PC	Secondary Charge: 210.5 PC	
Coroner Case? ☐	Coroner Case #	Intoxication/Drug Usage? ☑	Substance Used: Methamphetamine
Armed? ☑	Apprehended? ☑	Mental Illness? ☐	Criminal History? [redacted]
Vehicle Make: Saturn 4 DR 1999 Llc[redacted]	Year: Parole:	Probation:	Prior Felony Conviction: [redacted]

S

Last Name:	First Name:	M.I.
AKA Last Name:	First Name:	M.I.

Sex: Race:	Street Address:	City	State & Zip Code:
Work Phone:	Home Phone:	Social Security #:	Driver's License #:
Age: D.O.B.	Height: Weight:	FBI #	CII #
Booking #	Primary Charge:	Secondary Charge:	
Coroner Case? ☐	Coroner Case #	Intoxication/Drug Usage? ☐	Substance Used:
Armed? ☐	Apprehended? ☐	Mental Illness? ☐	Criminal History? ☐
Vehicle Make Model:	Year: Parole:	Probation:	Prior Felony Conviction:

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Last Name:	First Name:	M.I.
AKA Last Name:	First Name:	M.I.

Sex: Race:	Street Address:	City	State & Zip Code:
Work Phone:	Home Phone:	Social Security #:	Driver's License #:
Age: D.O.B.	Height: Weight:	FBI #	CII #
Booking #	Primary Charge:	Secondary Charge:	
Coroner Case? ☐	Coroner Case #	Intoxication/Drug Usage? ☐	Substance Used:
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Last Name:	First Name:	M.I.
AKA Last Name:	First Name:	M.I.

Sex: Race:	Street Address:	City	State & Zip Code:
Work Phone:	Home Phone:	Social Security #:	Driver's License #:
Age: D.O.B.	Height: Weight:	FBI #	CII #
Booking #	Primary Charge:	Secondary Charge:	
Coroner Case? ☐	Coroner Case #	Intoxication/Drug Usage? ☐	Substance Used:
Armed? ☐	Apprehended? ☐	Mental Illness? ☐	Criminal History? ☐
Vehicle Make Model:	Year: Parole:	Probation:	Prior Felony Conviction:

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SUPPLEMENTAL NON-EMPLOYEE WITNESSES
Los Angeles County Sheriff's Department

Non-Employee Witnesses

Last Name [redacted] First Name [redacted] M.I. [redacted]
Street Address [redacted] Zip Code [redacted] Work Ph [redacted] Home Ph [redacted]

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SUPPLEMENTAL EMPLOYEE WITNESSES
Los Angeles County Sheriff's Department

Employee Witnesses

Last Name	First Name	M.I.	Street Address	Zip Code	Work Ph	Home Ph
Fertal - #[redacted]	Joseph	A.	Walnut Station - Reserve Deputy		909-595-2264	[redacted]
Milliman - #[redacted]	Timothy	B.	Lakewood Station - Lieutenant		562-925-0124	[redacted]
Colon - #[redacted]	Jason	E.	Lakewood Station - Deputy		562-623-3500	[redacted]
Davis - #[redacted]	Dean	S.	Lakewood Station - Deputy		562-623-3500	[redacted]
Wagner - #[redacted]	Evan	A.	Compton Station - Reserve Deputy		310-605-6500	[redacted]
Hinojosa - #[redacted]	Cesar		Lakewood Station - Deputy		562-623-3500	[redacted]
Manjra - #[redacted]	Ayub	B.	Lakewood Station - Deputy		562-623-3500	[redacted]
Emerson - #[redacted]	Gregory	A.	Lakewood Station - Deputy		562-623-3500	[redacted]
Berg - #[redacted]	Gregory	L.	Lakewood Station - Deputy		562-623-3500	[redacted]
Nyberg - #[redacted]	Morgan	H.	Lakewood Station - Deputy		562-623-3500	[redacted]
Sirkel - #[redacted]	Bryan	T.	Lakewood Station - Sergeant		562-623-3500	[redacted]

INTERNAL AFFAIRS BUREAU

INVESTIGATIVE SUMMARY

SH2406271

INCIDENT: **On-Duty Non-Hit Shooting**

URN#: **016-13566-1334-055**

DATE/TIME: **June 23, 2016 2249 Hours**

LOCATION: **[redacted] Lisa Avenue – Bellflower**
[redacted] Oak Street – Bellflower
Oak Street – Bellflower
Mayne Street - Bellflower

SUMMARY:

On June 23, 2016, an Internal Affairs Bureau (IAB) team comprised of Lieutenant Kelly Adler, #[redacted] Lieutenant Dennis Watters, #[redacted] Sergeant James Jordan, #[redacted] and Sergeant [redacted] #[redacted] responded to Lakewood Station regarding and on-duty non-hit shooting. The shooting resulted with the injury of two deputies.

IAB Lieutenant Adler confirmed with the watch commander, Lieutenant Jodi Hutak, #[redacted] took reasonable steps to ensure the involved personnel and witness did not discuss the incident amongst themselves or with uninvolved persons prior to being interviewed by the assigned investigators. In addition, IAB Lieutenant Adler confirmed the involved personnel gathered in the company of a supervisor until they provided a statement to the assigned investigators.

Detectives Steven Blagg, #[redacted] and Sergeant Guillermo Morales, #[redacted] from the Los Angeles County Sheriff's Department Homicide Bureau arrived and assumed control of the investigation. (For further information regarding the shooting investigation refer to homicide case book, under URN #016-13566-1334-055 **[Exhibit A]**.)

On June 23, 2016, at approximately 2249 hours, Deputy Christopher Allende, #[redacted] was working an overtime special assignment, as a motorcycle deputy, for a driving under the influence (DUI) / California Driver's License (CDL) checkpoint operation in the city of Bellflower. The DUI checkpoint encompassed the northbound lanes of traffic on Lakewood Boulevard between Oak Street and Laurel Street. (For further, see the DUI Operations Plan under **Miscellaneous Documents**)

Deputy Allende was tasked with monitoring traffic flow into the checkpoint cone pattern. While seated on his parked motorcycle, in the coned off center median of Lakewood Boulevard, near Laurel Street, Deputy Allende saw a dark colored sedan turn eastbound Laurel Street from Lakewood Boulevard. Laurel Street is an east west street located one block south of Oak Street. Laurel Street was coned off between the north curb line and the south curb line along the east curb line of Lakewood Boulevard. The dark sedan drove over the cone pattern and traveled eastbound on Laurel Street. The dark sedan then turned northbound onto Lisa Avenue.

IAB Note: Lisa Avenue is a cul-de-sac street which only travels north of Laurel Street. It is outlined by eight single family homes on the east side and eight single family homes on the west side. (See Aerial scene photos [EXHIBIT B].)

The dark sedan pulled along the east curb and stopped about midblock Lisa Avenue north of Laurel Street. Deputy Allende followed the dark sedan onto Lisa Avenue and stopped behind the vehicle with his motorcycle emergency flashers activated. Deputy Allende saw the sole occupant driver (Suspect Juan Manuel Martinez MH/39) look over his left shoulder at him.

Suspect Martinez abruptly turned the vehicle to the left and stopped in a northwest direction in the street. Deputy Allende moved his motorcycle parallel to the vehicle, but southeast of it. With his motorcycle headlight shining into the vehicle's passenger compartment, Deputy Allende saw Suspect Martinez was pointing a black semiautomatic handgun at him. Suspect Martinez held the handgun **[EXHIBIT A, page 337, EXHIBIT E]** in his right hand and pointed it over his left shoulder. He fired the handgun at Deputy Allende through the open driver's window. Deputy Allende was still straddling his motorcycle when he was struck three times by gunfire. The bullets struck Deputy Allende in his left wrist, right wrist and his right side of the rib cage area.

IAB Note: Suspect Martinez's vehicle was a 1999 Saturn four door green sedan license plate [redacted]

IAB Note: Lisa Avenue is a north/south cul-de-sac two streets east of Lakewood Boulevard.

Once Deputy Allende realized he was shot, he quickly dismounted his motorcycle which fell to the ground. Deputy Allende ran in a northeast direction to seek cover. Deputy Allende attempted to draw his firearm, from its holster, with his right hand (his normal shooting hand), but was unsuccessful due to the severity of his gunshot injury to his right wrist. Deputy Allende reached across with his left hand and struggled to draw his firearm. Suspect Martinez turned his vehicle to the right toward Deputy Allende's point of retreat. Fearing for his life, Deputy Allende fired nine rounds at Suspect Martinez and his vehicle. Suspect Martinez turned northbound and drove at a high rate of speed. Two of Deputy Allende's rounds struck the passenger side of Suspect Martinez's

vehicle, but had no effect stopping Suspect Martinez or the vehicle. Deputy Allende fired 9 rounds from his Sig Sauer .45 Cal. Department Authorized handgun, which resulted in his slide locking to the rear. Deputy Allende performed a tactical reload despite being wounded to both wrists.

IAB Note: The capacity of Deputy Allende's Sig Sauer P220 Elite .45 cal. firearm is eight rounds in the magazine and one round in the chamber.

Suspect Martinez drove his vehicle onto the driveway of [redacted] facing north and stopped. Suspect Martinez exited the vehicle and shot four additional rounds at deputy personnel from approximately 100 yards away.

Deputy Allende initiated emergent radio traffic over the Sheriff's Communication Center (SCC) access channel **[EXHIBIT C]**. Deputy Allende broadcasted the suspect vehicle license plate and retreated to cover behind his motorcycle. Deputy personnel (Deputy [redacted] #[redacted] Deputy James Colbert #[redacted] Deputy Jason Colon #[redacted] and Sergeant Oscar Butao #[redacted] arrived within seconds to find Deputy Allende behind his motorcycle bleeding from his arms. While they rendered aid to Deputy Allende, Suspect Martinez fired several additional rounds toward deputy personnel. The deputies sought cover, behind parked vehicles, for themselves and Deputy Allende. Deputies donned their helmets and deployed AR-15's. They tactically positioned themselves and maintained a southern containment point.

Deputy Allende walked southbound Lisa Avenue to westbound Laurel Street where he was met by Deputy Dean Davis #[redacted] Deputy Davis transported Deputy Allende to Long Beach Memorial Hospital for treatment of his injuries.

Suspect Martinez fled northbound Lisa Avenue and over the block wall at the end of the cul-de-sac. Suspect Martinez entered the unlocked rear door of [redacted] He was confronted by the homeowner, Witness [redacted] Witness [redacted] who was a retired [redacted] was armed with a handgun. He ordered Suspect Martinez to raise his hands above his head and exit his home via the front door. Witness [redacted] saw Suspect Martinez had a bulge in his right front waistband area and feared Suspect Martinez was armed. Suspect Martinez kept his hands raised above his head and exited the front door of the residence. Witness [redacted] watched as Suspect Martinez ran across Oak Street in a northwest direction.

While Suspect Martinez was inside Witness [redacted] home, Deputy Chad Vanden Berg, who had been working PM shift in a plain clothes capacity, responded to Deputy Allende's emergent radio traffic. Deputy Vanden Berg parked his unmarked Ford F-150 pickup truck in front of [redacted] Oak Street. He parked the truck in a northeast direction in the middle of Oak Street. Deputy Vanden Berg exited the truck with his holstered handgun, radio, and badge, on a necklace, around his neck. He walked to the tailgate of the truck where he briefly stood and looked west. He saw several uniformed deputies near houses along the south side of Oak Street. They were approximately three

residences west of him. Deputy Vanden Berg turned and walked east along the driver's side of the pickup truck. When he neared the front of the truck, he saw a male Hispanic (Suspect Martinez) with bushy hair calmly jogging toward him from the south. Deputy Vanden Berg first saw Suspect Martinez near the passenger side headlight of his truck. Deputy Vanden Berg did not recognize Suspect Martinez from any radio broadcast description. Deputy Vanden Berg placed his right hand on his firearm, and ordered Suspect Martinez to show his hands. Suspect Martinez continued to jog and did not appear threatening. Suspect Martinez rounded the front driver's side of the truck and shot Deputy Vanden Berg one time. Suspect Martinez held his gun in his right hand and shot from the hip level. Deputy Vanden Berg was struck by the bullet in the right shoulder area. He fell backward to the ground. Suspect Martinez continued running westbound on Oak Street along the north curb line. Deputy Vanden Berg transmitted emergent radio traffic that he had been shot and requested assistance to his location **[EXHIBIT C]**.

IAB Note: **Deputy Vanden Berg did not shoot Suspect Martinez initially because he did not identify him as the suspect and did not see a firearm. After Deputy Vanden Berg was shot, he fell backward and described his shoulder as "collapsing" and he lost use of his right hand (his shooting hand). Deputy Vanden Berg never completely drew his handgun with his left hand. He stated once Suspect Martinez kept running and did not "concern" himself with Deputy Vanden Berg, Deputy Vanden Berg stated his priority was to get paramedics to his location.**

Deputy personnel assigned to the DUI checkpoint (Deputy Michael Abbot #[redacted] Reserve Deputy Joseph Fertal #[redacted] Deputy Randolph Meyer's and Lieutenant Timothy Milliman #[redacted] responded to the area on Oak Street **[EXHIBIT D]** when Deputy Allende broadcasted the suspect last seen direction. They were positioned approximately 3-4 houses west of Deputy Vanden Berg's parked truck.

Lieutenant Milliman, Deputy Abbot, Deputy Meyers, and Reserve Deputy Fertal heard Suspect Martinez's single shot that struck Deputy Vanden Berg. They shifted their positioning and focus to the east **[EXHIBIT D]**. Deputy Abbot and Deputy Meyer's looked east on Oak Street. They saw Suspect Martinez coming toward them with a gun in his hand. While advancing toward Deputies Abbot and Meyer's, Suspect Martinez raised his gun to shoulder level and pointed it at deputy personnel. Deputy Abbot and Deputy Meyers recognized the object in his right hand as a gun. Fearing they would be shot, Deputy Abbot and Deputy Meyers fired their Department approved duty weapons at Suspect Martinez **[EXHIBIT D]**. They shot several rounds at Suspect Martinez which altered his direction. Suspect Martinez fled northbound between parked vehicles in the driveway of [redacted] Oak Street **[EXHIBIT D].** This was Suspect Martinez's last seen location until arrested.

Seconds after Deputy Abbot and Deputy Meyers engaged Suspect Martinez in gun battle, Sergeant Bryan Sirkel #[redacted] along with Deputies Ayub Manjra #[redacted]

Cesar Hinojosa #[redacted] Morgan Nyberg [redacted] Lawrence Cervantes #[redacted] Karina Cervantes #[redacted] and Laila Razo #[redacted] arrived to assist Deputy Vanden Berg. Initially, personnel attempted to load Deputy Vanden Berg in a patrol car, but based on his size and injuries it was not feasible. They loaded him into the bed of his unmarked pickup truck. Deputy Vanden Berg was transported to Long Beach Memorial Hospital for treatment of his gunshot wound.

A large containment of the area was established. Additional resources including Homicide Bureau, and the Special Enforcement Bureau responded.

Suspect Martinez fled northeast, from his last seen location, where he forced entry into a home located at [redacted] Some of the occupants ran out of the residence and contacted deputy personnel. They told deputy personnel that a male Hispanic (Suspect Martinez) with bushy hair forced entry into their home. A containment of the residence, within the large outer containment, was established. The occupants of the residence said all of their family was accounted for. They advised deputy personnel that a renter named Mr. [redacted] (Witness [redacted] lived in the attached garage. They stated Witness [redacted] was last seen on the previous day. They added, Witness [redacted] drove a Mini Cooper which was parked in front of the residence.

Suspect Martinez entered the garage where Witness [redacted] lived, through an unlocked rear door. It was a single car garage converted into a small living space. Once inside, Suspect Martinez turned off the light and asked for help hiding from the police. Witness [redacted] remained quiet and sat on his twin daybed while Suspect Martinez laid down and fell in and out of sleep. Witness [redacted] saw Suspect Martinez remove an object from his right front pants pocket and put it on the floor under his bed. He did not see a gun, but Witness [redacted] felt he would be shot if he attempted to leave the garage.

Based on the resident's information, deputy personnel feared Suspect Martinez was holding Witness [redacted] hostage inside the garage area of [redacted] Due to the circumstances, the Special Enforcement Bureau responded to the location. Special Enforcement Detail team members, Sergeant Joseph Garrido #[redacted] and Deputy Stephan Longan #[redacted] analyzed the scene and established a tactical plan. Their goal was to have a peaceful outcome without injuries to personnel, civilians or Suspect Martinez.

The team made several public address announcements for Suspect Martinez to exit the residence. He did not comply. The team executed their tactical plan over a period of several hours which included a search warrant **[EXHIBIT A, pages 213-224]**. They continued to make periodic public address announcements in English and in Spanish. Eventually, Witness [redacted] exited living quarters and contacted deputy personnel. Witness [redacted] was interviewed by Special Enforcement Team members. Witness [redacted] said Suspect Martinez was inside his living area located in the single car garage. Witness [redacted] said he did not see a gun, but Suspect Martinez removed something from his waistband and placed it under his bed. Witness [redacted] described Suspect Martinez.

The Special Enforcement Team made additional public address announcements requesting Suspect Martinez exit the location and surrender peacefully. He did not comply. The Special Enforcement Team utilized a tactical tractor and removed the north facing garage door **[EXHIBIT B]**. They introduced "hot" and "cold nonflammable" Chlorobenzalmalononitrile (CS) gas into the garage. Moments later, Suspect Martinez exited the garage and was handcuffed by Deputy Francois #[redacted] and Deputy Toone #[redacted] without incident. (For documentation of Special Weapons Team Actions see **[EXHIBIT A, pages 51-57]**.

After Suspect Martinez was arrested, a search of the garage was completed by deputy personnel. While searching the garage, Deputy Berg #[redacted] found a Glock 19, 9mm black handgun **[EXHIBIT E]** in the bathroom between stacked boxes.

The criminal report and all supplemental reports documenting the actions of involved patrol personnel were approved and collected **[EXHIBIT A, pages 1-50]**.

Suspect Martinez was transported and booked at Norwalk Sheriff's station. Homicide investigators conducted a [redacted] The conversations were recorded **[EXHIBIT F]**.

IAB Note:  [redacted]

Homicide Investigators Detective Steven Blagg and Sergeant Guillermo Morales initiated their criminal investigation which included a canvass of the surrounding neighborhood for witnesses. Additionally, the neighborhood was canvassed for possible home security video cameras which could have captured the incident. Two residences had video surveillance which captured potions of the incident (See Video Surveillance below).

INVOLVED EMPLOYEE AND WORK HISTORY

Christopher Allende, Deputy Sheriff, #[redacted]
South Patrol Division
Lakewood Station

Date of Employment:	June 14, 2006
Date Assigned to Patrol/Lakewood Station:	February 21, 2016
Date Completed Patrol Training:	[redacted]

Prior Shooting incident(s): [redacted]
Prior Founded Force Incidents:



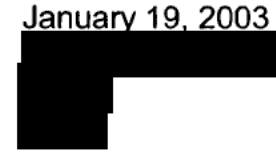
Equipment Worn On Person

On June 23, 2016, Deputy Allende was wearing a Class "A" uniform long sleeve shirt with motorcycle class "A" pants with a Sam Browne duty belt. The equipment on his duty belt included: one set of handcuffs, holster with Sig Sauer duty weapon, (P220 / .45 Caliber), two magazines holders containing four fully loaded magazines, handheld radio, keys, a Taser (X-26) and a flashlight. His county issued PR-24 Baton was located on his motorcycle.

INVOLVED EMPLOYEE AND WORK HISTORY

Michael J. Abbot, Deputy Sheriff, #[redacted]
South Patrol Division
Lakewood Station

Date of Employment: September 17, 2000
Date Assigned to Patrol/Lakewood Station: January 19, 2003
Date Completed Patrol Training: [redacted]
Prior Shooting incident(s):
Prior Founded Force Incidents:



Equipment Worn On Person

On June 23, 2016, Deputy Abbot was wearing a short sleeve Class "A" uniform including a nylon Sam Browne duty belt. The equipment on his duty belt included: two sets of handcuffs, Oleoresin Capsicum (OC) spray, Sig Sauer duty weapon (P229, 9mm), two magazine holders containing four fully loaded magazines, handheld radio, keys. He did not have a Taser assigned to him. His county issued PR-24 Baton was located inside his patrol vehicle.

INVOLVED EMPLOYEE AND WORK HISTORY

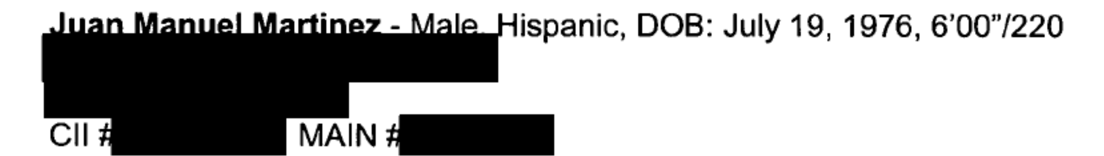
Randolph S. Meyers, Deputy Sheriff, #[redacted]
South Patrol Division
Cerritos Station

Date of Employment: August 21, 2006
Date Assigned to Patrol/Cerritos Station: September 7, 2014
Date Completed Patrol Training: [redacted]
Prior Shooting incident(s):
Prior Founded Force Incidents:

Equipment Worn On Person

On June 23, 2016, Deputy Meyers was wearing a Class "A" uniform including a nylon Sam Browne duty belt. The equipment on his duty belt included: two sets of handcuffs, Oleoresin Capsicum (OC) spray, Smith and Wesson duty weapon (M&P, 9mm), two fully loaded magazines, handheld radio, and keys. He did not have a Taser assigned to him. His county issued PR-24 Baton was located inside his patrol vehicle.

SUSPECT INFORMATION



[redacted] Hispanic, DOB: July 19, 1976, 6'00"/220
[redacted]
CII #[redacted] MAIN #[redacted]

> **IAB Note:** **A copy of Suspect Martinez's criminal history is included in the Homicide Investigation Book [EXHIBIT A, Pages 296-321]**

SUSPECT VEHICLE

A 1999 Saturn, green, 4-door sedan California license #[redacted] **[EXHIBIT A, Pages 335-336] [EXHIBIT A, pages 64-69]**

SUSPECTS INJURIES

Suspect Martinez did not sustain any injuries.

DEPUTY PERSONNEL INJURIES

Deputy Christopher Allende

Deputy Allende was shot three times. He was shot once in the left wrist. The bullet did not penetrate his skin, but as a result of the impact, he received a small laceration on the top of his wrist accompanied by bruising and swelling to the area. Deputy Allende was shot in the lower right outer rib area. His ballistic vest stopped the round from penetrating, but resulted in bruising to the area and a minor laceration. Deputy Allende was shot once to his right wrist. The bullet entered at the wrist and exited on the outer portion of his forearm. The bullet broke bones in his wrist, broke his ulnar bone and severed arterial circulation.

Deputy Chad Vanden Berg

Deputy Vanden Berg was shot once. He was shot in the right upper chest shoulder area. The bullet entered and struck his right clavicle causing it to shatter into several pieces. As the bullet shattered his clavicle, it turned outward and damaged arterial circulation to his right arm and caused nerve damage. Deputy Vanden Berg had

several extensive surgeries due to complications, including his lungs. He suffered severe right shoulder weakness and cannot grip anything in his right hand. Deputy Vanden Berg described his arm as 10 percent of what it was before he was shot.

PHYSICAL EVIDENCE

All physical evidence was located and collected by Homicide Sergeant Guillermo Morales, [redacted] and Detective Steven Blagg, [redacted] They were assisted by Forensic Identification Specialists David Ozeta [redacted] David Alonso [redacted] Zaira Avalos [redacted] Jane Mak [redacted] Sergio Castellon [redacted] and Senior Criminalists April Wong [redacted] Jamie Daughetee [redacted] Kenneth Takigawa [redacted] and Amanda Davis [redacted] from the Sheriff's Crime Lab **[Exhibit A, pages 326-349].**

There were four separate crime scenes in this incident. The four crime scenes are listed in order of occurrence as follows:

Crime Scene #1 – [redacted] Lisa Avenue, Bellflower

Deputy Allende conducted a traffic stop of Suspect Martinez. Suspect Martinez shot at Deputy Allende injuring him. Suspect Martinez fled northbound in his vehicle and then on foot. He shot at several assisting deputy personnel who arrived to help. Refer to **[EXHIBIT A, pages 327-330 and 344-349]**

Crime Scene #2 – [redacted]

Suspect Martinez entered the rear door of the residence and was confronted by Witness [redacted] the home owner. Witness [redacted] had a [redacted] background. Witness [redacted] was armed with a hand gun and ordered Suspect Martinez to raise his hand in the air and exit his home out the front door. Refer to **[EXHIBIT A, pages 331-334]**.

Crime Scene #3 – [redacted] Oak Street, Bellflower

Suspect Martinez ran westbound Oak Street along the north curb line after he shot Deputy Vanden Berg. He was seen by additional deputy personnel near [redacted] Oak Street. Suspect Martinez raised his firearm toward personnel. Deputies Abbot and Meyers engaged Suspect Martinez in a gun battle. Suspect Martinez fled northbound in the driveway of [redacted] Oak Street and out of sight. Refer to **[EXHIBIT A, pages 339-343]**.

Crime Scene #4 – [redacted]

Suspect Martinez forced entry into the single car garage residence area of Witness [redacted] located at [redacted] Suspect Martinez used fear to hold Witness [redacted] hostage for several hours.

INVESTIGATOR'S OBSERVATIONS

Internal Affairs Bureau Sergeant Jordan and Sergeant [redacted] responded to the scene, on June 24, 2016, at approximately 0100 hours. Homicide Bureau Lieutenant Jose Mendoza #[redacted] escorted IAB investigators carefully to the multiple crime scenes which were consistent with the narration of the incident.

The shooting scene was detailed by Homicide Investigators Detective Steven Blagg, #[redacted] and Sergeant Guillermo Morales #[redacted] **[EXHIBIT A, pages 81-122].** Their description of the scene was consistent with the initial IAB Investigator's observation. The scene was photographed by Forensic Identification Specialist Zaira Avalos #[redacted] of Scientific Services Bureau. Scene #1 was sketched by Forensic Identification Specialist Mira Amin #[redacted] of Scientific Services Bureau. Scene #2 and #3 were sketched by Michelle Marmolejo #[redacted] of Scientific Services Bureau.

Included in the IAB Case Book is a DVD containing photographs of deputy personnel and crime scene photographs **[EXHIBIT B].**

WEAPON USED BY DEPUTY ALLENDE

Deputy Allende fired nine rounds of Department issued .45cal ammunition form his Sig Sauer (P220 Elite, .45cal, semiautomatic pistol). The firearm was examined by Senior Criminalist, April Wong, #[redacted] of the Scientific Services Firearms Identification Section and found to be functional **[EXHIBIT A, pages 352-355].**

Deputy Allende's firearm was not submitted for latent prints, blood evidence, or DNA testing. Nine expended Winchester .45cal. casings were recovered at the shooting scene on Lisa Avenue. **[EXHIBIT A, page 346].** Additionally recovered was Deputy Allende's empty Sig Sauer magazine and his "G-Shock" watch which was destroyed by a bullet strike.

Date last qualified with duty weapon: [redacted]

WEAPON USED BY DEPUTY ABBOT

Deputy Abbot fired 18 rounds of Department issued 9mm ammunition from his Sig Sauer (P229 Elite, 9mm, semiautomatic pistol). The firearm was examined by Senior Criminalist, Manuel Munoz, #[redacted] of the Scientific Services Firearms Identification Section and found to be functional **[EXHIBIT A, pages 352-355]**.

Deputy Abbot's firearm was not submitted for latent prints, blood evidence, or DNA testing. A total of 19 expended Winchester 9mm Luger casings were recovered from the front yard area and driveway of [redacted] **[EXHIBIT A, page 342].**

IAB Note: There were a total of 19 expended Winchester 9mm Lugar casings found in the area where Deputy Abbot and Deputy Meyers shot. The rounds used by Deputy Abbot and Deputy Meyers were Department issued and not unique to each deputy. Eight expended casings between the deputies were not located within the scene.

Date last qualified with duty weapon: [redacted]

WEAPON USED BY DEPUTY MEYERS

Deputy Meyers fired eight rounds of Department issued 9mm ammunition from his Smith and Wesson (M & P, 9mm, semiautomatic pistol). The firearm was examined by Senior Criminalist, Manuel Munoz, #[redacted] of the Scientific Services Firearms Identification Section and found to be functional **[EXHIBIT A, pages 352-355]**.

Deputy Meyers' firearm was not submitted for latent prints, blood evidence, or DNA testing. A total of 19 expended Winchester 9mm Luger casings were recovered from the front yard area of [redacted] and [redacted] **[EXHIBIT A, page 342]**

Date last qualified with duty weapon: [redacted]

PROPERTY DAMAGE

Crime Scene #1: A gray Dodge Pickup truck, California license #[redacted] was parked in the driveway of [redacted] The truck was parked facing west. It had a bullet hole in the driver's side rear wheel well. The bullet traveled in through the wheel well in a northwest direction, entered the truck bed, impacted the forward panel, and then entered an Igloo cooler, inside the truck bed. **[EXHIBIT A, page 345]**.

At the residence of [redacted] a bullet hole went through a tree stake which was located in a potted planter located on the south edge of the driveway. The bullet continued in a northwest direction, perforated a tree, and penetrated or perforated the garage door. **[EXHIBIT A, page 345]**.

At the residence of [redacted] a bullet impacted the rim of a planter near the northeast corner of the garage **[EXHIBIT A, page 345]**.

Two bullet holes were located in the passenger side of Suspect Martinez's vehicle California license #[redacted] One bullet hole in the passenger side door and one bullet hole in the rear edge of the passenger side front fender. **[EXHIBIT A, page 345]**.

For photographs of damaged property, see **[EXHIBIT G]**.

Crime Scene #2: No damage was located.

Crime Scene #3: A white Toyota Tacoma California license #[redacted] parked facing north in the driveway of [redacted] had six identifiable bullet impact locations. A bullet hole was located in the right side of the rear tailgate. A bullet hole was located in the upper left side of the tail gate. A bullet hole was located in left side of the rear cab. Two bullet holes were located in the driver's side panel, forward of the taillight. A bullet hole was located in the Driver's side panel forward of the taillight. A bullet impact was located on the left edge of the rear bumper. **[EXHIBIT A, page 340]**.

A white Toyota Tacoma California license #[redacted] parked facing north in the driveway of [redacted] had three identifiable bullet impact locations. A bullet hole was located in the driver's door. A bullet hole was located in the rear license plate housing and bumper. A bullet hole was located in the passenger side rear tire. **[EXHIBIT A, pages 340-341]**.

A white Chevrolet Silverado pickup truck California license #[redacted] parked facing north in the driveway of [redacted] had six identifiable bullet impact locations. A bullet hole was located in the top edge of the driver's side taillight. A bullet hole was located in the driver's side rear panel below the taillight. A bullet hole was located in a hubcap on the ground near the driver's side rear tire. A bullet hole was located in the driver's side rear tire rim. A bullet hole was located in the driver's side rear tire. A bullet hole was located in the windshield. **[EXHIBIT A, page 345]**.

A bullet impact was located in the swinging pedestrian gate which enclosed the front porch of [redacted] A bullet hole was located on the south exterior stucco wall west of the porch. A bullet impact was located on the south exterior stucco wall at the west end of the house. **[EXHIBIT A, pages 339-340]**.

For photographs of damaged property, see **[EXHIBIT G].**

Crime Scene #4: A single car wooden garage door broken into several pieces. A single car wooden door frame splintered in several hinge locations. A broken glass window to the rear of residence caused by gas canisters penetration.

For photographs of damaged property, see **[EXHIBIT G]**.

CRIMINAL INVESTIGATORS AND CHARGES FILED

The criminal investigation into the Attempt Murder of a Peace Officer shooting was handled by Los Angeles County Sheriff's Department Homicide Bureau Detectives Steven Blagg and Guillermo Morales.

On June 27, 2016, Investigator's Blagg and Morales met with Los Angeles County Deputy District Attorney Garret Dameron of the Crimes Against Peace Officer Section. Deputy District Attorney Dameron filed ten counts of Attempted Murder of a Peace Officer, 664/187 PC, one count of False Imprisonment of a Hostage, 210.5 PC, and one count of Dissuading a Witness by Force or Threat, 136.1c(1) PC against Suspect

Martinez under case number VA142260. Suspect Martinez was arraigned in Bellflower Court on June 28, 2016.

> **IAB Note:** **At the time this case was authored, Suspect Martinez had a court appearance date of June 21, 2017.**

LIGHTING AND WEATHER CONDITIONS

The incident occurred during the hours of darkness. The weather was clear and warm.

SURVIELENCE VIDEO

During a canvass of the crime scenes, Homicide Bureau investigators discovered two residences had home security video cameras that captured portions of the incident. Homicide Bureau investigators recovered video surveillance **[EXHIBIT D]** from the two residences located at [redacted] and [redacted]

> **IAB Note:** **EXHIBIT D consists of two DVD's. One DVD contains all video recovered. The second DVD contains compressed video of captured portions of the incident. [EXHIBIT D, disc 2].**

> **IAB Note:** **Video compressed from [redacted] was placed into three files. The files are labeled [EXHIBIT D, disc 2] as Lisa Ave Vid 1, Lisa Ave Vid 2, and Lisa Ave Vid 3. Video compressed from [redacted] was placed into two files. The files are labeled [EXHIBIT D, disc 2] as Oak St. Vid 1 and Oak St Vid 3.**

> **IAB Note:** **Each video file has its own date and time stamp. The Lisa Avenue video time stamp was approximately 1 hour earlier than actual time.**

Video recovered from [redacted] included two camera angles. One camera was located on the [redacted] of the house. The second camera was located on the [redacted] side of the house [redacted].

Lisa Ave Vid 1: Depicted Suspect Martinez's vehicle turning northbound onto Lisa Avenue from eastbound Laurel Street (Time stamp 06/23/2016 21:47:55).

Lisa Ave Vid 1: Depicted Deputy Allende on his motorcycle turning northbound Lisa Avenue from eastbound Laurel Street (Time stamp 06/23/2016 21:48:02).

Lisa Ave Vid 2: Depicted Suspect Martinez's vehicle traveling northbound Lisa Avenue (Time stamp 06/23/2016 21:47:57).

Lisa Ave Vid 2: Depicted Deputy Allende on his motorcycle traveling northbound Lisa Avenue slightly behind Suspect Martinez's vehicle (Time stamp 06/23/2016 21:48:03).

Lisa Ave Vid 3: Depicted assisting units arriving on Lisa Avenue (time stamp 06/23/2016 21:51:35 and 06/23/2016 21:51:50).

Lisa Ave Vid 3: Depicted Deputy Allende walking southbound Lisa Avenue (Time stamp 06/23/2016 21:54:00).

Video recovered from [redacted] included two camera angles. One camera was located on the [redacted] ([redacted]) of the house. The second camera was also located on the [redacted] of the house ([redacted]).

Oak St Vid 1: Depicted deputy personnel, in traffic vests, searching the south side of Oak street with flashlights (Time stamp 06/23/2016 10:51:17 PM).

Oak St Vid 1: Depicted Deputy Vanden Berg driving eastbound Oak Street in a Ford F-150 pickup truck (Time stamp 06/23/2016 10:56:44 PM).

Oak St Vid 1: Depicted shadowy image of Suspect Martinez running between white pickup trucks parked at [redacted] Oak Street (Time stamp 06/23/2016 10:57"24 PM).

Oak St Vid 1: Depicted bullet strike to driver's door of white pickup truck (Time stamp 06/23/2016 10:57:30 PM).

Oak St Vid 3: Depicted deputy personnel actively searching for Suspect Martinez with their flashlights on the south side of Oak Street (06/23/2016 10:53:55 PM).

Oak St Vid 3: Depicted Deputy Vanden Berg driving eastbound Oak Street in a Ford F-150 pickup truck (Time stamp 06/23/2016 10:56:44 PM).

Oak St Vid 3: Depicted deputy personnel reacting to gunshot noise from the east on Oak Street (06/23/2016 10:57:18 PM).

Oak St Vid 3: Depicted Deputy Meyers and Deputy Abbot engaged in a gun battle shooting in a northeast direction (Time stamp 06/23/2016 10:57:23 PM).

RADIO TRANSMISSION

The IAB Investigators reviewed the radio traffic **[EXHIBIT C]** associated with the incident. There were a total of five frequencies utilized. The SCC access channel was used by Deputy Allende as he initially broadcasted emergent radio traffic. Lakewood Dispatch 14 was utilized as the initial main patch traffic frequency during the initial stages of the operation. Tactical frequency "A-TAC-4" was utilized specifically for the tactical operation of capturing the suspect by the Special Enforcement Team.

Frequency Mutual Aid 5, was utilized by personnel assigned to overall containment of the area. Lakewood Station L-TAC was used minimally by station units.

IAB Note: All times are approximate only. They are based on SCC time stamp with lowest increments of minutes.

SCC ACCESS CHANNEL

(22:49 hours) Deputy Allende broadcasted, "10-33 give me the patch! 998 I've been hit!" Deputy Allende broadcasted his location near Lakewood Boulevard and Laurel Street. He broadcasted a California license plate of [redacted] Deputy Allende broadcasted the suspect description of, a male Hispanic, long hair, heavy set, with a gun, and approximately 45 years old. Deputy Allende stated the suspect ran northbound in the cul-de-sac. He requested paramedics and that a containment be set up.
(22:50 hours) SCC parroted Deputy Allende's broadcasted information and requested 2 units and a sergeant respond. SCC inquired where the DUI checkpoint was.
(22:50 hours) Deputy Personnel broadcasted Deputy Allende was the motor involved in the shooting.
(22:51 hours) Deputy Allende confirmed it was his emergent radio traffic and advised he had been shot a "couple times."
(22:51 hours) SCC asked if anyone had an observation on Deputy Allende
(22:52 hours) Sergeant Butao broadcasted he located Deputy Allende on Lisa Avenue north of Flower Street.

IAB Note: Deputy Allende and Sergeant Butao were actually located on Lisa Avenue north of Laurel Street.

(22:52 hours) Aero advised they were two minutes out.
(22:52 hours) Deputy Allende again broadcasted the suspect description as a male Hispanic, heavy set, with four inch long shaggy hair, a short sleeve t-shirt, and a black 417. The suspect was by himself and ran northbound and jumped the wall at the end of the cul-de-sac.
(22:52 hours) Deputy personnel initiated containment of the area.
(22:52 hours) Sergeant Butao broadcasted he located Deputy Allende and was at [redacted] Lisa Avenue.
(22:53 hours) Deputy Allende broadcasted the suspect was still shooting and for personnel to work on the containment. Deputy Allende broadcasted, "I am ok."
(22:54 hours) Deputy Vanden Berg broadcasted, "I'm shot! I'm shot!"
(22:54 hours) SCC requested location of deputy who was shot.
(22:54 hours) Deputy personnel requested paramedics and advised SCC to relay to aero the suspect fled north.
(22:55 hours) Deputy Vanden Berg broadcasted his exact location as [redacted] Oak Street and needed paramedics.
(22:55 hours) Deputy personnel advised they were loading the deputy who had been shot in the chest and taking him to the hospital.

(22:56 hours) 133B Deputy Davis broadcasted he was with Deputy Allende at the intersection of Lakewood Boulevard and Laurel Street. He advised he was transporting Deputy Allende to the hospital.
(22:57 hours) SCC attempted to confirm two deputies had been shot.
(22:58 hours) SCC inquired about possible suspect down.
(22:58 hours) SCC parroted the deputies which had been shot were being transported to Long Beach Memorial Hospital.
(22:59 hours) SCC parroted shot deputy being transported to Long Beach Memorial in an F-150 pickup truck.
(00:01 hours) SCC requested Deputy Allende's status, Deputy Davis advised he was transporting Deputy Allende to Long Beach Memorial Hospital.
(00:02 hours) Aero requested five of the local stations to send half of their response teams and necessary containment points.
(00:02 hours) 135B broadcasted an informant stated the suspect was at [redacted] The suspect broke a rear bathroom window to his house.
(00:03 hours) 133GS requested SCC notify Long Beach Memorial Hospital to assemble a trauma team because a deputy was shot in the chest.
(00:05 hours) 135B broadcasted the resident of [redacted] stated the suspect attempted to break into her house.
(00:06 hours) Deputy Cervantes broadcasted deputy (Vanden Berg's) transport arrived at Long Beach Memorial Hospital.
(00:09 hours) SCC access channel dropped.

LAKEWOOD FREQUENCY DISPATCH 14

(22:49 hours) Sergeant Butao stated he had heard 998 traffic on "Direct."
(22:50 hours) Deputy Allende gave suspect description, suspect last seen and requested paramedics.
(22:51 hours) Aero broadcasted "Four minutes out."
(22:51 hours) Deputy Allende was identified as the deputy involved in the 998 and had been shot.
(22:51 hours) Sergeant Butao arrived at Deputy Allende's location.
(22:52 hours) Paramedics requested.
(22:52 hours) Aero broadcasted "Two minutes out."
(22:52 hours) Deputy Allende broadcasted additional suspect description.
(22:53 hours) Containment initiated.
(22:53 hours) Sergeant Butao broadcasted the initial shooting location as [redacted] Lisa Avenue.
(22:53 hours) Deputy Vanden Berg broadcasted he had been shot.
(22:54 hours) Deputy Vanden Berg broadcasted his location as [redacted] Oak Street and that he had been shot. He requested paramedics.
(22:55 hours) Deputy Davis broadcasted he had Deputy Allende in his vehicle and was transporting him to Long Beach Memorial Hospital.
(22:56 hours) Deputy Cervantes broadcasted Deputy Vanden Berg was wearing plain clothes and had been shot. Deputy Vanden Berg was loaded into the bed of a pickup truck and was being transported to Long Beach Memorial Hospital.

(22:58 hours) Deputy Davis updated his location while enroute to Long Beach Memorial with Deputy Allende.
(22:59 hours) Aero requested surrounding stations send their response teams and enlarged the containment.
(23:00 hours) Lakewood 135B broadcasted an informant who lived at [redacted] advised the suspect was in his house. Initiated containment of the residence.
(23:02 hours) Personnel broadcasted Long Beach Memorial Hospital was notified two shot deputies were enroute.
(23:02 hours) Tactical frequency requested for transportation of deputies to the hospital.
(23:04 hours) Aero broadcasted they were orbiting over [redacted] Mayne Street and assisted with containing the location.
(23:09 hours) Ms. [redacted] of [redacted] advised his house was clear of all family members who evacuated and that the suspect broke the rear bathroom window of location when he attempted to enter.
(23:10 hours) 230G6 broadcasted he would initiate a command post at the southeast corner of Lakewood Boulevard and Oak Street. 230G6 broadcasted the suspect description.
(23:10 hours) Lakewood Station Watch Commander inquired via SCC of injured deputies' status.
(23:14 hours) Personnel broadcasted the command post was moved to the northwest corner of Lakewood Boulevard and Alondra Boulevard.
(23:15 hours) 870S requested a tactical frequency and asked if the [redacted] Mayne Street garage resident was accounted for.
(23:17 hours) K-9 unit requested aero to advise containment status.
(23:18 hours) Personnel transmitted that a female informant resident of [redacted] Street did not actually see the suspect enter her home.
(23:22 hours) Personnel advised a person lived in the garage of [redacted]
(23:24 hours) Personnel advised a resident of [redacted] stated the suspect had banged on their back door and when they fled the home, they left the back door and side door ajar.
(23:25 hours) Aero advised [redacted] had an open door to the rear of the residence.
(23:26 hours) Personnel advised the [redacted] garage resident was a male Hispanic approximately five feet eight inches tall with a thin build.
(23:35 hours) Personnel advised roll call would be done on L-TAC and the command post was updated to Lakewood Boulevard and Alondra Boulevard in the CVS parking lot.
(23:36 hours) SEB inquired if all occupants from [redacted] and [redacted] were accounted for.
(23:38 hours) Personnel broadcasted the suspect description.
(23:40 hours) SEB 875S advised they were in the process of assembling a crisis team, requested additional resources, and inquired about the containment.
(23:42 hours) Personnel broadcasted [redacted] residents were all accounted for except for the male Hispanic garage resident.
(23:46 hours) Aero broadcasted relived by other helicopter.

(23:46 hours) SEB advised they were working on their tactical plan.
(23:48 hours) SEB initiated evacuation of residents in house [redacted] of [redacted] Mayne [redacted]

(23:51 hours) SEB advised five residents were evacuated from the residence immediately [redacted] of [redacted] Mayne Street.
(23:58 hours) Aero advised outer containment communications were on L-TAC.
(00:00 hours) SEB requested Aero to initiate their camera feed and stand by for SEB monitor set up.
(00:12 hours) The "Patch" was dropped all units switched to appropriate tactical frequencies.

TACTICAL FREQUENCY A-TAC 4

Frequency A-TAC 4 was used by SEB as a tactical frequency to coordinate their tactical plan **[EXHIBIT C]**.

FREQUENCY MUTUAL AID 5

(22:49 hours) Deputy Allende transmitted ..."I'm hit! 998!"
(22:51 hours) Personnel request specific address of shooting and are on Oak Street.
(22:51 hours) SCC broadcasted Deputy Allende was communicating on SCC access channel and was patched in with Mutual Aid 5.
(22:51 hours) Sergeant Butao broadcasted he was with Deputy Allende and his location was Lisa Avenue north of Flower Street.

IAB Note: Deputy Allende and Sergeant Butao were actually on Lisa Avenue north of Laurel Street.

(22:52 hours) SCC broadcasted a California vehicle license plate of [redacted] associated to the suspect.
(22:52 hours) Deputy Allende gave additional suspect description as a male Hispanic heavy set, long shaggy hair, wearing shorts and a t-shirt with a black handgun. The suspect was "by himself," ran northbound and jumped over a block wall.
(22:53 hours) Deputy personnel initiated containment.
(22:53 hours) Sergeant Butao identified his location as [redacted] Lisa Avenue.
(22:54 hours) SCC broadcasted, "Stand by! Active shooter!"
(22:54 hours) Deputy Vanden Berg broadcasted, "I'm shot! I'm shot!" and that the suspect was last seen running northbound.
(22:55 hours) Deputy Vanden Berg broadcasted his exact location as [redacted] Oak Street and requested paramedics.
(22:55 hours) Aero broadcasted there was a possible suspect down on Oak Street and several units are present. Aero inquired if that was the suspect down on Oak Street.

IAB Note: The person down on Oak Street, was actually Deputy Vanden Berg who was working in a plain clothes capacity and had been shot.

(22:56 hours) Deputy personnel advised deputy had been shot in the chest and rolling him to Saint Francis Hospital.
(22:56 hours) Deputy Davis broadcasted Deputy Allende was in his patrol car and was transporting him to the hospital.
(22:57 hours) SCC confirmed two deputies had been shot and one of them was at [redacted] Oak Street.
(22:58 hours) SCC inquired if the suspect was down and if there was one active shooter.
(22:59 hours) SCC broadcasted there was an outstanding active shooter and one of the injured deputies was being transported to the hospital in a F-150 pickup truck.
(23:00 hours) Deputy Davis transmitted he was taking Deputy Allende to Long Beach Memorial Hospital.
(23:02 hours) Aero requested half of the five closest stations field force and updated containment.
(23:02 hours) 135B broadcasted an informant stated the suspect was in his home at [redacted]
(23:03 hours) 133GS requested SCC notify Long Beach Memorial a deputy was shot in chest and to assemble a trauma team. He advised a two minute estimated time of arrival.
(23:07 hours) Deputy Cervantes advised the transport (Of Deputy Vanden Berg) was at Long Beach Memorial Hospital.
(23:09 hours) 230G6 advised there was one suspect. 230G6 broadcasted he was initiating a command post. 230G6 described the suspect as a male Hispanic, 5' 8" inches tall, heavy set, wearing a striped darker colored shirt, with dark thick hair. 230G6 broadcasted the suspect's weapon was a handgun.

IAB Note: 230G6 was Deputy Meyers. Deputy Meyers saw the suspect running westbound Oak Street after he shot Deputy Vanden Berg, and engaged in gun battle with him.

(23:11 hours) Lakewood Station watch commander inquired via SCC if both deputies arrived at the hospital.
(23:13 hours) 210W13 broadcasted the command post was being moved to the northwest corner of Lakewood Boulevard and Alondra Boulevard in the CVS parking lot.

IAB Note: Mutual Aid 5 was solely utilized for containment integrity communications until the end of the incident. There was no additional significant activity broadcasted.

LAKEWOOD STATION L-TAC

(22:53 hours) Deputy personnel broadcasted if enough units were with the shot deputy, to take containment spots.
(22:55 hours) Deputy personnel guided aero to last seen suspect location.

(22:56 hours) Sky Knight identified suspect last seen location and advised needed containment to the north.
(22:58 hours) Deputy personnel advised Sky Knight, the suspect was seen on the roof of [redacted] Oak Street northbound over the garage.
(22:59 hours) Sky Knight requested additional units to contain area north of Oak Street.
(22:59 hours) Sky Knight set containment north of Oak Street.
(23:00 hours) 135B broadcasted that an informant stated the suspect was at [redacted]
(23:01 hours) Lakewood desk personnel advised additional resources were requested and Long Beach Memorial Hospital notified of transported shot deputies.
(00:02 hours) Sky Knight broadcasted dispatch 14 was open and to switch from L-TAC.
(00:09 hours) 230G6 broadcasted he initiated a command post and asked Sky Knight where units were needed for the containment.
(00:10 hours) Sky Knight advised the containment appeared mostly complete.
(00:23 hours) Aero requested the command post utilize idle patrol units to fill in containment spots.
(00:25 hours) Command post broadcasted prepare for roll call.
(00:28 hours) Deputy personnel requested a ram on the west side of target location.
(00:37 hours) Deputy personnel requested yellow tape for traffic control.
(00:37 hours) Aero requested Flower Street closed to all foot traffic.
(00:54 hours) Command post provided suspect description as male Hispanic, 5'8", heavy set, wearing a striped shirt, and weapon used was a silver semi auto.

IAB Note: No additional significant activity broadcasted.

STATEMENTS

The following narratives are intended only as a synopsis of the interviews. Additional information and precise wording may be obtained by reviewing the digitally audio recorded interviews and verbatim transcriptions.

INVOLVED EMPLOYEES

DEPUTY CHRISTOPHER ALLENDE

Homicide Interview

On June 28, 2016, **Deputy Christopher Allende #**[redacted] was interviewed by Homicide Detectives Steven Blagg and Guillermo Morales. The interview was summarized in the Homicide case book **[EXHIBIT A, Pages 111-115].** The interview was transcribed by Homicide Bureau and is contained as a permanent record within this case file. Refer to transcript for complete interview.

IAB Interview

On November 3, 2016, **Deputy Christopher Allende #**[redacted]was interviewed by IAB Investigator's Sergeants James Jordan and Carmen Arballo. The interview was audio recorded and transcribed under **Job #51808**. The following is summary of the interview:

In the evening hours of June 23, 2016, Deputy Allende worked a special assignment DUI checkpoint in the city of Bellflower. He was the only motorcycle deputy (133M) working the checkpoint. The DUI checkpoint encompassed the northbound lanes of Lakewood Boulevard south of Oak Street to Laurel Street. The area was coned off for traffic control. Deputy Allende's duties were to monitor vehicles entering the DUI checkpoint cone pattern. At approximately, 2245 hours, Deputy Allende saw a four door sedan turn eastbound on Laurel Street from Lakewood Boulevard over the cone pattern. Deputy Allende saw the vehicle turn northbound on an unknown street. Deputy Allende followed the vehicle to contact the driver and determine if he was drunk. The vehicle stopped midblock along the east curb line. Deputy Allende turned on his emergency lights and stopped behind the vehicle. The sole occupant driver (Suspect Martinez) looked over his shoulder at Deputy Allende and then made a quick left turn and stopped in the middle of the street facing northwest. Deputy Allende turned his motorcycle to the left and stopped southeast of the vehicle with his motorcycle headlight pointing inside the vehicle.

Deputy Allende looked at Suspect Martinez and saw he was pointing a black semiautomatic handgun over his left shoulder, out of the open driver's window, and shooting at him. Deputy Allende felt debris coming toward him and then felt his right hand get pushed back off of the handlebars. Deputy Allende jumped from his motorcycle and ran east seeking cover. Due to Deputy Allende's injuries, he drew his gun with his opposite hand and turned toward Suspect Martinez. Suspect Martinez turned his vehicle in a northerly direction. Fearing additional gunfire, Deputy Allende aimed and shot nine rounds at the vehicle's passenger side door pillar as Suspect Martinez drove northbound. As Suspect Martinez drove northbound, Deputy Allende conducted a tactical magazine reload.

Once reloaded, Deputy Allende looked north and saw Suspect Martinez's vehicle parked on the east side of the cul-de-sac facing north. He saw the driver's side door was open, but did not see Suspect Martinez.

Deputy Allende broadcasted emergent traffic over the Sheriff's Communication Center (SCC) access channel. He transmitted Suspect Martinez's vehicle license plate to SCC. Deputy Allende then retreated to the cover of his motorcycle. Within seconds, assisting deputies arrived. Deputy Allende briefly assessed his injuries and applied a tourniquet to his right bicep area. Deputy Allende walked out of the scene and was picked up by Deputy Davis. Deputy Davis transported Deputy Allende, via patrol car, to Long Beach Memorial Hospital for medical treatment.

Deputy Allende sustained a single gunshot wound to his left wrist. The shot struck his watch and caused a laceration and swelling, but did not penetrate. Deputy Allende sustained bruising and swelling to his ribs on the left side, from the bullet that was stopped by his ballistic vest. Deputy Allende was shot in his right wrist which broke bones in his wrist and his ulnar. As it traveled up his forearm, it damaged an artery and nerves. Deputy Allende had surgery to repair the arm which resulted in a plate and eight screws being implanted.

Homicide Bureau did not conduct a round count from Deputy Allende's gun because it was processed through the crime lab. Deputy Allende told Homicide Bureau his slide locked to the rear and he conducted a tactical reload without firing any additional rounds.

DEPUTY RANDOLPH MEYERS

Homicide Interview

On June 25, 2016, **Deputy Randolph Meyers #[redacted]** was interviewed by Homicide Detectives Steven Blagg and Guillermo Morales. The interview was summarized in the Homicide book **[EXHIBIT A, pages 108-111]**. The interview was transcribed by Homicide Bureau and is contained as a permanent record within this case file. Refer to transcript for complete interview.

IAB Interview

On November 3, 2016, **Deputy Randolph Meyers #[redacted]** was interviewed by IAB Investigator's Sergeants James Jordan and Carmen Arballo. The interview was audio recorded and transcribed under **Job #51809**. The following is summary of the interview:

On June 23, 2016, Deputy Meyers worked a double shift. On day shift he worked his normal spot (230G6) at Cerritos Station, and then a special assignment DUI checkpoint in the city of Bellflower on PM shift. Deputy Meyers wore his class "A" uniform and gun belt from day shift to the DUI checkpoint. His gun belt contained his Department issued Smith and Wesson M & P 9mm handgun loaded with seventeen rounds in the factory magazine and one in the chamber.

At approximately 2249 hours, Deputy Meyers was seated inside his patrol vehicle, within the pit area, [redacted] when he heard 6-8 gunshots from the southeast. He then heard a second volley of gun shots estimated between 6 and 8 rounds. Seconds later, Deputy Meyers heard emergent radio traffic of a deputy involved shooting. The traffic included a suspect description and last seen running northbound. Based on this information, Deputy Meyers thought the suspect would run onto Oak Street near his location.

IAB Note: **The "pit" area of this Bellflower DUI checkpoint was a business parking lot located on the southeast corner of Lakewood Boulevard and Oak Street. The area is used to safely conduct Standardized Field Sobriety Tests, verify DMV license status, conduct vehicle searches and towing, and arrest suspects.**

Deputy Meyers along with other deputies ran eastbound Oak Street with their weapons drawn. They went to approximately the [redacted] residence along the south side of the street. He anticipated the suspect running form the south between homes. Seconds later, Deputy Meyers heard a single gunshot from the east. Deputy Meyers' attention was drawn toward the sound of the gunshot. Deputy Meyers looked east on Oak Street and saw a dark colored truck in the middle of the street. Deputy Meyers described the lighting near the truck as poor. Deputy Meyers saw a male (Suspect Martinez) near the truck. Suspect Martinez walked westbound on Oak Street along the north curb line. Deputy Meyers saw a handgun in Suspect Martinez's right hand down at his side. Suspect Martinez then raised the gun in the direction of Deputy Meyers. Deputy Meyers, who was not behind cover, feared Suspect Martinez would shoot him. Deputy Meyers aimed at Suspect Martinez's chest and shot approximately 7-9 rounds in a northeast direction at Suspect Martinez. Deputy Meyers stated he and Suspect Martinez exchanged several rounds of gun fire before Suspect Martinez turned northbound up a driveway, between vehicles, and out of sight.

Deputy Meyers retreated to cover behind a small tree in the front yard of a residence located at [redacted] Deputy Meyers saw Deputy Abbot, Lieutenant Milliman, and Reserve Deputy Fertal were nearby to the west.

Deputy Meyers then communicated to the helicopter overhead Suspect Martinez's description and last seen location. Next, Deputy Meyers initiated a command post near Oak Street and Lakewood Boulevard. Several minutes later the command post was moved to the corner of Lakewood Boulevard and Alondra Boulevard. Deputy Meyers remained at the command post until a sergeant transported him to Lakewood Station.

Deputy Meyers was sequestered in the Lakewood Station Emergency Operation Center with additional involved employees and a supervisor. He was advised of the no huddling policy. Deputy Meyer's firearm and gun belt were collected by Homicide Bureau.

DEPUTY MICHAEL ABBOT

Homicide Interview

On June 25, 2016, **Deputy Michael Abbot #**[redacted] was interviewed by Homicide Detectives Steven Blagg and Guillermo Morales. The interview was summarized in the Homicide book **[EXHIBIT A, pages 106-108]**. The interview was transcribed by

Homicide Bureau and is contained as a permanent record within this case file. Refer to transcript for complete interview.

IAB Note: The semiautomatic pistol slide is the part of the weapon that moves during the operating cycle. It is spring loaded and houses the firing pin and extractor.

IAB Note: Deputy Abbot's gun was a Sig Sauer P229 Elite 9mm semiautomatic. The gun had 17 rounds in the magazine and 1 in the chamber.

IAB Interview

On November 3, 2016, **Deputy Michael Abbot #**[redacted] was interviewed by IAB Sergeants James Jordan and [redacted] The interview was audio recorded and transcribed under **Job #51806**. The following is summary of the interview:

On June23, 2016, Deputy Abbot's regular assignment was the school resource deputy for the city of Paramount. He worked that spot on day shift. On PM shift he worked an overtime special assignment DUI checkpoint in the city of Bellflower. The DUI checkpoint was designated to run from [redacted] to [redacted] hours. The DUI checkpoint encompassed the northbound lanes of traffic on Lakewood Boulevard between Oak Street and Laurel Street. Deputy Abbot was a "screener."

IAB Note: A "Screener" within the DUI checkpoint was tasked with contacting drivers in their vehicles on the street. They make contact with the driver and ensure they are in possession of a valid California Driver's license. Additionally, they ensure there is no odor of alcohol emanating from the vehicle and that the driver does not exhibit signs of being under the influence of alcohol or narcotics.

While working the DUI checkpoint, Deputy Abbot wore a class "A" uniform and Sam Browne gun belt. He carried a Sig Sauer 9mm handgun with the capacity of 17 rounds in the magazine and one in the chamber.

At approximately 2249 hours, Deputy Abbot was in the DUI checkpoint "pit" area [redacted] he had screened. Deputy Abbot heard two volleys of gunfire. The first volley was approximately 6 to 9 gunshots. The second volley was approximately 3 to 6 gunshots. Both volleys came from the southeastern direction. Based on the gunfire, Deputy Abbot along with Lieutenant Milliman, Reserve Deputy Fertal, Deputy Wagner and Deputy Meyers jogged east on Oak Street from the "pit." They went approximately [redacted] residences east of the corner on the south side of the street.

While responding, Deputy Abbot heard emergent radio traffic that a deputy had been involved in a shooting. Deputy Abbot along with other personnel stood in the yards of the residences and listened to the radio traffic holding a north containment position. Deputy Abbot moved to cover behind a sport utility vehicle (SUV) parked in the driveway of a residence. Next, Deputy Abbot heard a third volley of approximately 2 to 5 shots east of him. Deputy looked eastbound Oak Street and saw a male (Suspect Martinez) with bushy hair. Suspect Martinez walked then ran westbound on the north sidewalk with a gun in his hand. Suspect Martinez raised the gun and pointed it in the direction of the deputies. Deputy Abbot heard gunfire. Deputy Abbot feared for his life and safety. He shot 18 rounds in a northeast direction at Suspect Martinez. Suspect Martinez ran northbound up a residence driveway and out of view.

Deputy Abbot reloaded his gun while he retreated to cover near a SUV. He asked Deputy Fertal, who was near him, to put out radio traffic. Within seconds, several deputies arrived on Oak Street. Approximately 20 minutes later, Deputy Abbot was transported to the command post by two Lakewood Sergeants. Once at the command post for approximately five minutes, the same sergeants transported Deputy Abbot and Deputy Fertal to the Lakewood Station. Once at the station, he was advised regarding the no huddling policy. His gun belt was placed in the watch commander's safe.

DEPUTY CHAD VANDEN BERG

Homicide Interview

On July 7, 2016, **Deputy Chad Vanden Berg #**[redacted] was interviewed by Homicide Detectives Steven Blagg and Guillermo Morales. The interview was summarized in the Homicide book **[EXHIBIT A, pages 120-122]**. The interview was transcribed by Homicide Bureau and is contained as a permanent record within this case file. Refer to transcript for complete interview.

IAB Interview

On November 3, 2016, **Deputy Chad Vanden Berg #**[redacted] was interviewed by IAB Sergeants James Jordan and [redacted] The interview was audio recorded and transcribed under **Job #51807**. The following is summary of the interview:

Deputy Vanden Berg was assigned to Lakewood Station on the Bellflower Special Assignment Team. On the night of June 23, 2016, the team adjusted their schedules to work a plain clothes [redacted] Deputy Vanden Berg was in plain clothes and was partnered with Deputy Williams most of the shift as 133G2. [redacted] Their assigned vehicle was a ford F-150 pickup truck. They used S-TAC 19 frequency for the operation that day.

The team decided to [redacted] within the city of Bellflower. Deputy Vanden Berg took a location [redacted] While

[redacted] Deputy Vanden Berg was told by Deputy Nyberg via radio, that a deputy had been shot. Deputy Vanden Berg changed his radio frequency and discovered the location of the shooting was near the DUI checkpoint. He estimated his response time was approximately 40 seconds.

Deputy Vanden Berg drove eastbound Oak Street and saw black and whites already present near the second residence on the south side of the street. Deputy Vanden Berg thought he would go 50 yards past the deputies to the east and temporarily hold a containment spot pending the arrival of marked units. He parked in the middle of the street facing northeast. Deputy Vanden Berg exited the truck and walked to the tailgate and looked west, but did not see anything. He attempted to listen to radio traffic. He turned and walked toward the front of the truck. He saw a male (Suspect Martinez), who he did not recognize as the suspect, with long shaggy hair jogging toward him, near the front of the truck.

Deputy Vanden Berg ordered Suspect Martinez to show his hands. Just then, Suspect Martinez rounded the driver's side of the truck and shot Deputy Vanden Berg one time in the right shoulder area. Deputy Vanden Berg fell backward onto the ground. Suspect Martinez jogged past Deputy Vanden Berg and continued running westbound on Oak Street. Deputy Vanden Berg saw Suspect Martinez shoot toward deputy personnel as he (Suspect Martinez) ran westbound Oak Street. The deputy personnel were in the front yards of residences west of Deputy Vanden Berg on the south side of Oak Street.

Deputy Vanden Berg requested paramedics to [redacted] Oak Street. Several deputies arrived within seconds. Deputy Vanden Berg was loaded into the bed of his pickup truck and transported to Long Beach Memorial Hospital.

WITNESS EMPLOYEES

DEPUTY JAMES COLBERT

Homicide Interview

On June 24, 2016, **Deputy James Colbert #[redacted]** was interviewed by Homicide Detectives Steven Blagg and Sergeant Guillermo Morales. The interview was summarized in the Homicide book **[EXHIBIT A, pages 88-89].].** The interview was transcribed by Homicide Bureau and is contained as a permanent record. Refer to transcript for complete interview.

IAB Interview

On April 26, 2017, **Deputy James Colbert #[redacted]** was interviewed by IAB investigators, Sergeant James Jordan and Sergeant Carmen Arballo. The interview was audio recorded and transcribed under **Job #53370.** The following is a summary of the interview.

On June 23, 2016, Deputy Colbert was assigned to the Bellflower Special Assignment Team, supervised by Sergeant Sirkel and Lieutenant Milliman. On that day, he worked a [redacted] in the city of Bellflower with his fellow team members. (Deputy Nyberg, Deputy [redacted] Deputy Vanden Berg, and Deputy Williams) The mission of the team was to [redacted] There was an operations plan associated with operation authored by Deputy Vanden Berg. (**See Miscellaneous Documents**)

The team utilized deputies in plain clothes to [redacted] Deputy Colbert had [redacted]

> **IAB Note:** **Deputy Colbert attended the Department's [redacted] The course was presented by Narcotics Deputy [redacted]**

At approximately 2249 hours that night, Deputy Colbert's team was [redacted] a location within the city of Bellflower when he heard emergent radio traffic a deputy had been involved in a shooting at Lakewood Boulevard and Oak Street. While in transit, there was a location update to Lisa Avenue. Deputy Colbert (Driver) and Deputy [redacted] (Bookman) turned northbound Lisa Avenue from Laurel Street and saw Deputy Allende laying in the middle of the street. Deputy Colbert parked southeast of Deputy Allende and exited. He attempted to help Deputy Allende who had been shot. Deputy Allende said he was fine and gave them a suspect description and last seen. Seconds later, Deputy Colbert heard gunshots from the north in his direction. Deputy Colbert sought cover, but did not return fire.

> .**IAB Note:** **Deputy Vanden Berg was by himself in a truck and Sergeant Sirkel was partnered with Deputy Nyberg in a SUV. All three were working in a plain clothes capacity.**

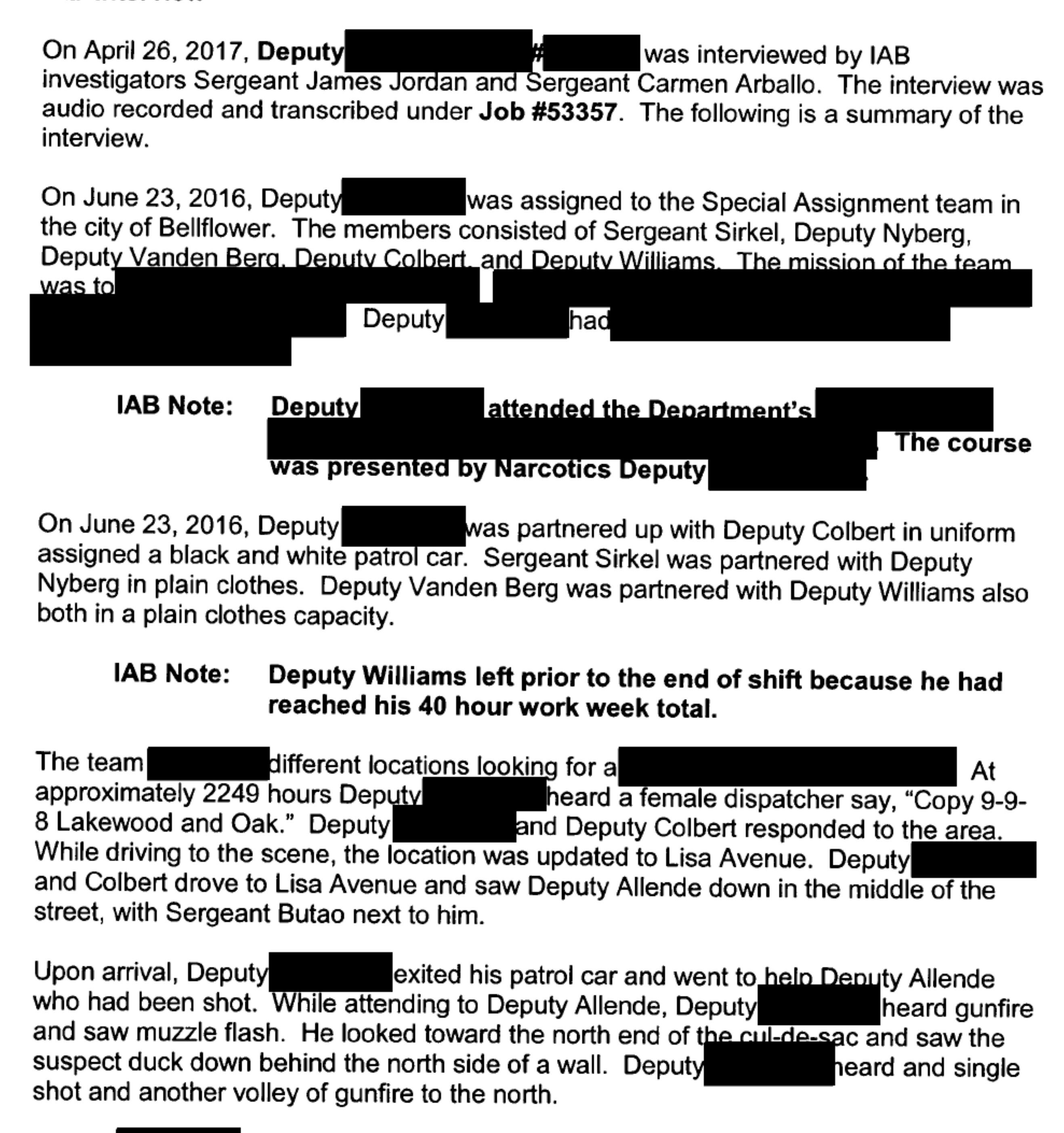
> **IAB Note:** **Deputy Williams who was partnered with Deputy Vanden Berg earlier in the shift had left due to reaching his 40 hour work week.**

Minutes later, Deputy Colbert heard a second volley of gun fire which sounded further away from him. They maintained their position pending relief. Once relieved by assisting deputies, Deputy Colbert and Deputy [redacted] drove to Long Beach Memorial Hospital to be with Deputy Vanden Berg.

DEPUTY [redacted]

Homicide Interview

On June 24, 2016, **Deputy** [redacted] was interviewed by Homicide Detective Steven Blagg and Sergeant Guillermo Morales. The interview was



summarized in the Homicide book **[EXHIBIT A, pages 89-91]**. The interview was transcribed by Homicide Bureau and is contained as a permanent record. Refer to transcript for complete interview.

IAB Interview

On April 26, 2017, **Deputy [redacted]#[redacted]** was interviewed by IAB investigators Sergeant James Jordan and Sergeant Carmen Arballo. The interview was audio recorded and transcribed under **Job #53357**. The following is a summary of the interview.

On June 23, 2016, Deputy [redacted] was assigned to the Special Assignment team in the city of Bellflower. The members consisted of Sergeant Sirkel, Deputy Nyberg, Deputy Vanden Berg, Deputy Colbert, and Deputy Williams. The mission of the team was to [redacted] Deputy [redacted] had [redacted]

IAB Note: **Deputy [redacted] attended the Department's [redacted]. The course was presented by Narcotics Deputy [redacted].**

On June 23, 2016, Deputy [redacted] was partnered up with Deputy Colbert in uniform assigned a black and white patrol car. Sergeant Sirkel was partnered with Deputy Nyberg in plain clothes. Deputy Vanden Berg was partnered with Deputy Williams also both in a plain clothes capacity.

IAB Note: **Deputy Williams left prior to the end of shift because he had reached his 40 hour work week total.**

The team [redacted] different locations looking for a [redacted] At approximately 2249 hours Deputy [redacted] heard a female dispatcher say, "Copy 9-9-8 Lakewood and Oak." Deputy [redacted] and Deputy Colbert responded to the area. While driving to the scene, the location was updated to Lisa Avenue. Deputy [redacted] and Colbert drove to Lisa Avenue and saw Deputy Allende down in the middle of the street, with Sergeant Butao next to him.

Upon arrival, Deputy [redacted] exited his patrol car and went to help Deputy Allende who had been shot. While attending to Deputy Allende, Deputy [redacted] heard gunfire and saw muzzle flash. He looked toward the north end of the cul-de-sac and saw the suspect duck down behind the north side of a wall. Deputy [redacted] heard and single shot and another volley of gunfire to the north.

Deputy [redacted] remained on Lisa Avenue until he was relieved at which time he went to the hospital to check on Deputy Vanden Berg's condition.

SERGEANT OSCAR BUTAO

Homicide Interview

On June 24, 2016, **Sergeant Oscar Butao #[redacted]** was interviewed by Homicide Detective Steven Blagg and Sergeant Guillermo Morales. The interview was summarized in the Homicide book **[EXHIBIT A, pages 91-92].** The interview was transcribed by Homicide Bureau and is contained as a permanent record. Refer to transcript for complete interview.

IAB Interview

On April 20, 2017, **Sergeant Oscar Butao #[redacted]** was interviewed by IAB investigators Sergeant James Jordan and Sergeant Carmen Arballo. The interview was audio recorded and transcribed under **Job #53317**. The following is a summary of the interview.

On June 23, 2016, Sergeant Butao worked his dayshift as the Special Assignment Sergeant for the city of Bellflower. On PM shift, Sergeant Butao worked an overtime special assignment DUI checkpoint in the city of Bellflower.

A few hours into the DUI checkpoint, Sergeant Butao was in the "pit" area [redacted] when heard 5-8 "pops" to the southeast. Sergeant Butao then heard some incomplete radio traffic of a 998. Sergeant Butao got in his vehicle and drove code 3 southbound Lakewood Boulevard. When he arrived at Laurel he did not see the motorcycle deputy assigned to the DUI checkpoint, Deputy Allende. He drove eastbound Laurel Street to northbound Lisa Avenue and saw Deputy Allende's motorcycle on the ground with its lights activated. Deputy Allende was on the ground near his motorcycle.

Sergeant Butao exited his vehicle, scanned the area for the suspect then went to check on Deputy Allende who had been shot. Deputy Allende said the suspect fled north. As other assisting deputies arrived, Sergeant Butao heard a "barrage" of gunfire from the north. Sergeant Butao sought cover from the gunfire.

Sergeant Butao lost track of Deputy Allende during the "barrage" of gunfire. He recalled Deputy Davis got Deputy Allende and transported him to the hospital. Sergeant Butao recalled an additional volley of gunfire from the north.

Sergeant Butao directed deputies to maintain their position on the containment. With several supervisors in the area, Sergeant Butao went to the hospital to check the welfare of Deputy Allende.

RESERVE DEPUTY JOSEPH FERTAL

Homicide Interview

On June 24, 2016, Reserve **Deputy Joseph Fertal #**[redacted] was interviewed by Homicide Investigators Detective Steven Blagg and Sergeant Guillermo Morales **[EXHIBIT A, pages 97-99]**. The interview was transcribed by Homicide Bureau and is contained as a permanent record. Refer to transcript for complete interview.

IAB Interview

On April 20, 2017, **Reserve Deputy Joseph Fertal #**[redacted] was telephonically interviewed by IAB investigator Sergeant James Jordan. The interview was audio recorded and transcribed under **Job #53392**. Deputy Fertal was interviewed via telephone due [redacted] The following is a summary of the interview.

On June 23, 2016, Deputy Fertal worked an overtime shift on a special assignment DUI checkpoint in the city of Bellflower. While working the DUI checkpoint, Deputy Fertal heard emergent radio traffic a deputy was involved in a shooting. He heard a suspect broadcast and a last seen direction. Several deputies including, Deputy Fertal, ran toward Oak Street and "posted up on a couple of properties." They were on the south side of the street. Deputy Fertal stood with Deputy Abbot behind an SUV for cover with weapons drawn.

Deputy Fertal heard gunfire east of him on Oak Street. He looked to the east and saw a male (Suspect Martinez) running westbound toward them. He recognized Suspect Martinez by the clothing description given over the radio. Deputy Abbot fired at Suspect Martinez. Suspect Martinez ran northbound between two white trucks parked in a residence driveway. Deputy Fertal did not shoot. Deputy Fertal did not hear any more gunfire after Deputy Abbot's volley. Deputy Fertal thought Deputy Abbot emptied his magazine because he (Deputy Abbot) reloaded.

LIEUTENANT TIMOTHY MILLIMAN

Homicide Interview

On June 24, 2016, **Lieutenant Timothy Milliman #**[redacted] was interviewed by Homicide Detective Steven Blagg and Sergeant Guillermo Morales **[EXHIBIT A, pages 95-96]**. The interview was transcribed by Homicide Bureau and is contained as a permanent record. Refer to transcript for complete interview.

IAB Interview

On April 20, 2017, **Lieutenant Timothy Milliman #**[redacted] was interviewed by IAB investigators Sergeant James Jordan and Sergeant Carmen Arballo. The interview was

audio recorded and transcribed under **Job#53314**. The following is a summary of the interview.

On June 23, 2016, Lieutenant Milliman worked an overtime special assignment DUI checkpoint in the city of Bellflower. While at the checkpoint, Lieutenant Milliman heard approximately 3-4 gunshots from the southeast. He described a slight lull, then a second volley of gun shots. Lieutenant Milliman heard a deputy was shot over the radio. Lieutenant Milliman along with Deputy Meyers, Deputy Abbot, and Reserve Deputy Fertal responded on foot to Oak Street just north of the gunfire origin.

Lieutenant Milliman heard a single gunshot form the east. From a position of cover, Lieutenant Milliman never saw the suspect on Oak Street. Lieutenant Milliman heard Deputy Meyers say the suspect had a gun, then Deputy Meyers and Deputy Abbot fired at the suspect. The suspect fled northbound and out of sight. Seconds later, Lieutenant Milliman responded to the 9000 block of Oak Street, to assist Deputy Vanden Berg who had been shot. Once Vanden Berg was transported to the hospital, Lieutenant Milliman reminded deputy personnel to be careful and maintain the crime scene.

After the incident was static, Lieutenant Milliman returned to Lakewood Station. He contacted the involved personnel and reminded them not to talk about the incident.

DEPUTY JASON COLON

Homicide Interview

On June 24, 2016, **Deputy Jason Colon #[redacted]** was interviewed by Homicide Investigators Detective Steven Blagg and Sergeant Guillermo Morales. **[EXHIBIT A, pages 93-94]** The interview was transcribed by Homicide Bureau and is contained as a permanent record. Refer to transcript for complete interview.

IAB Interview

On April 20, 2017, **Deputy Jason Colon #[redacted]** was interviewed by IAB investigators Sergeant James Jordan and Sergeant Carmen Arballo. The interview was audio recorded and transcribed under **Job #53356**. The following is a summary of the interview.

On June 23, 2016, Deputy Colon was assigned to 133A, a one man car on PM shift. Deputy Colon responded to Lisa Avenue due to emergent radio traffic of a deputy involved shooting. Sergeant Butao, Deputy Colbert and Deputy [redacted] were already with Deputy Allende on Lisa Avenue when he arrived. He parked along the east curb line approximately 100 feet north of Laurel Street. He exited his patrol car and saw Deputy Allende bleeding profusely. Seconds later, Deputy Colon heard a volley of shots. Then there was a second volley.

After the shots, Deputy Colon put on his helmet and deployed his AR-15. He helped contain the area for Suspect Martinez.

DEPUTY DEAN DAVIS

Homicide interview

On June 24, 2016, **Deputy Dean Davis #[redacted]** was interviewed by Homicide Investigators Detective Steven Blagg and Sergeant Guillermo Morales **[EXHIBIT A, pages 96-97]**. The interview was transcribed by Homicide Bureau and is contained as a permanent record. The following is a brief summary of the interview.

On June 23, 2016, Deputy Davis was assigned to 133B, a one man car o PM Shift. Deputy heard radio traffic that a deputy involved shooting occurred near the DUI checkpoint located at Lakewood Boulevard and Oak Street in the city of Bellflower. Upon arriving in the vicinity, he was guided toward Lisa Avenue. As he turned onto Lisa Avenue, he saw a Sheriff's motorcycle laying in the middle of the street. He saw a dark colored sedan with its lights on, parked at the end of the cul-de-sac on the east side. Deputy Davis parked and exited his patrol car and heard 8-10 gunshots coming from the north end of the cul-de-sac. He described the gunshots as "close." He looked in the direction of the gunshots, but did not see the suspect or muzzle flashes.

Deputy Davis heard radio traffic indicating the suspect was down near Lakewood Boulevard and Oak Street. He returned to his patrol car and drove toward that direction. While in transit, Deputy Davis saw Deputy Allende standing on the northeast corner of Lakewood Boulevard and Laurel Street. He picked up Deputy Allende and transported him to Long Beach Memorial Hospital for medical treatment.

RESERVE DEPUTY EVAN WAGNER

IAB Interview

On April 22, 2017, **Reserve Deputy Evan Wagner #[redacted]** was interviewed by IAB investigator Sergeant James Jordan. The interview was audio recorded and transcribed under **Job #53319**. The following is a summary of the interview.

Deputy Wagner has been a reserve deputy with Los Angeles County Sheriff's Department for approximately nine years. Deputy Wagner was a Level 1 reserve deputy.

On June 23, 2016, Deputy Wagner was assigned on overtime to work a special assignment DUI checkpoint in the city of Bellflower. At approximately 2249 hours, Deputy Wagner was in the "pit" area of the DUI checkpoint when he heard two volleys of gunfire from the southeast. Deputy Wagner recognized Deputy Allende's voice when he heard emergent radio traffic he (Deputy Allende) was involved in a shooting and was shot. He heard Deputy Allende broadcast the suspect was running northbound toward

Oak Street. Based on this information, Deputy Wagner ran eastbound on Oak Street with several other deputies to contain the suspect.

Deputy Wagner then realized he should respond to Deputy Allende because he has an EMT background and could assist pending paramedics' arrival. Deputy Wagner returned to the DUI checkpoint. He entered his patrol car and responded southbound Lakewood Boulevard to eastbound Laurel Street. Deputy Wagner looked northbound Lisa Avenue and saw a downed motorcycle in the middle of the street. He turned northbound saw two deputies and Sergeant Butao standing near Deputy Allende. Deputy Wagner exited his vehicle and attempted to render medical aid to Deputy Allende who was focused on the outstanding suspect. While attempting to bandage Deputy Allende's hand, Deputy Wagner heard several gunshots from the north. Deputy Wagner and Deputy Allende ran to cover. Deputy Wagner did not see the suspect or muzzle flash.

Once additional deputies arrived, Deputy Wagner did not see Deputy Allende in the area. Deputy Wagner accompanied Deputy Napuunoa #[redacted] to a high ground location. They deployed an AR-15, and continued to cover the north looking for the suspect. Deputy Wagner manned the location until the end of the incident.

DEPUTY CESAR HINOJOSA

Homicide Interview

On June 24, 2016, **Deputy Cesar Hinojosa #**[redacted] was interviewed by Homicide Detective Steven Blagg and Sergeant Guillermo Morales. The interview was summarized in the Homicide book **[EXHIBIT A, pages 92-93].** The interview was transcribed by Homicide Bureau and is contained as a permanent record. The following is a brief summary of the interview.

On June 24, 2016, Deputy Hinojosa was assigned to work EM shift 132A. He was partnered with Deputy Kristina Dizon. They were at Lakewood Station when they heard Deputy Allende's emergent radio traffic. They responded code 3. Upon arrival to the area, Deputy Hinojosa turned eastbound on Oak Street from Lakewood Boulevard. He saw a Ford F-150 pickup truck parked in the middle of the street. Near the 9000 block of Oak Street he parked and exited his patrol car. He saw Deputy Vanden Berg lying the street bleeding profusely from the upper right side of his chest. He was in plain clothes. Deputy Hinojosa helped load Deputy Vanden Berg in to the bed of the pickup truck and drive him to Long Beach Memorial for medical treatment of his gunshot wound.

DEPUTY AYUB MANJRA

Homicide Interview

On June 24, 2016, **Deputy Ayub Manjra #**[redacted] was interviewed by Homicide Investigators Detective Steven Blagg and Sergeant Guillermo Morales **[EXHIBIT A, pages 94-95].** The interview was transcribed by Homicide Bureau and is contained as a permanent record. Refer to transcript for complete interview.

DEPUTY GREGORY EMERSON

IAB Interview

On April 27, 2017, **Deputy Gregory Emerson #**[redacted] was interviewed by IAB investigators Sergeant James Jordan and Sergeant Carmen Arballo. The interview was audio recorded and transcribed under **Job #53379**. Refer to transcript for complete interview.

DEPUTY GREGORY BERG

IAB Interview

On April 21, 2017, **Deputy Gregory Berg #**[redacted] was interviewed by IAB investigators Sergeant James Jordan and Sergeant Carmen Arballo. The interview was audio recorded and transcribed under **Job #53318**. Refer to transcript for complete interview.

Homicide Investigators instructed Deputy Berg and three other deputies to wear gloves and gas masks, and to search the home, the backyard and the garage of [redacted] Mayne Street. Deputy Berg searched the restroom attached to the garage. There were four stacked cardboard boxes approximately 2'x2'x2'. Deputy Berg removed a top box to search it. When he removed the box, found a black Glock semiautomatic handgun **[EXHIBIT E]** in between the boxes. The gun had a magazine inside. Deputy Berg recovered the gun and rendered it safe. Homicide investigators took possession of the gun as evidence.

DEPUTY MORGAN NYBERG

IAB Interview

On April 26, 2017, **Deputy Morgan Nyberg #**[redacted] was interviewed by IAB investigators Sergeant James Jordan and Sergeant Carmen Arballo. The interview was audio recorded and transcribed under **Job #53369**. Refer to transcript for complete interview.

WITNESS SERGEANT BRYAN SIRKEL

IAB Interview

On April 24, 2017, **Sergeant Bryan Sirkel #**[redacted] was interviewed by IAB investigators Sergeant James Jordan and Sergeant [redacted] The interview was audio recorded and transcribed under **Job #53323**. Refer to transcript for complete interview.

SUSPECT INTERVIEWS

SUSPECT JUAN MARTINEZ

Homicide Interview #1

On June 24, 2016, Suspect **Juan Martinez** was interviewed by Homicide Detectives Steven Blagg and Guillermo Morales at Norwalk Sheriff's Station. The interview was summarized in the Homicide book **[EXHIBIT A, pages 99-104]**. The interview was transcribed by Homicide Bureau and is contained as a permanent record. The following is a brief summary of the interview.

Investigator Blagg read Suspect Martinez his Miranda Rights per SHAD-477. Suspect Martinez said he understood his rights and agreed to speak with investigators.

Suspect Martinez said he worked on June 23, 2016 until 1700 hours. He drove his green Saturn to his friend [redacted] house in South Gate. He smoked a joint at [redacted] house, then drove to his [redacted] (Witness [redacted] house in Long Beach. He showered and ate a sandwich. After arguing with [redacted] he left [redacted] house and drove, by himself, on the 91 freeway and exited Lakewood Boulevard. Suspect Martinez recalled making a few turns and then recalled running over a traffic cone.

> **IAB Note:** **California State Route 91 intersects Lakewood Boulevard five blocks south of Laurel Street. Laurel Street was the southern boundary of the Bellflower DUI checkpoint.**

After running over the traffic cone, Suspect Martinez heard a lot of gunshots he described as "popping" noises. He got scared. He swerved his vehicle to the curb and exited. He ran toward the front of his car and jumped over a fence. He ran into a house where he was confronted by an older white male who identified himself as a [redacted] He left the [redacted] house and went to the house next door and asked for help. Suspect Martinez did not remember what happened next, but recalled ending up in a garage with a male name [redacted] (Witness [redacted] who fell asleep on a bed. Suspect Martinez stayed in the garage until the "cops bombed the place with smoke." Homicide investigators asked Suspect Martinez if he had anything inside his car. Suspect Martinez had a gun and methamphetamine's in the car and added he did not

want to go to jail for a long period of time because he had a [redacted] Suspect Martinez denied owning the gun and said someone left if in his car under the passenger seat. Suspect Martinez said he may have shot the gun during this incident, but did not recall. Suspect Martinez described the gun as a 9mm and loaded. Investigators told Suspect Martinez a gun was recovered from Witness [redacted] garage. They advised the gun would be tested for DNA and asked Suspect Martinez whose DNA would be on the gun, to which he replied, it would probably be his DNA on the gun.

Suspect Martinez said he knew deputies had been shot. When investigators asked Suspect Martinez how he knew deputies had been shot, he replied, he just knew.

Suspect Martinez injected methamphetamine just prior to this incident and stated he was afraid of going back to jail. Suspect Martinez stated he felt bad about the incident, but could not remember where he placed the gun.

Suspect Martinez learned how to shoot a gun when he was approximately 19-20 years old. He went to the shooting range once a week and would shoot assault rifles and revolvers. Suspect Martinez said he was in a gang named Grape Street Watts, but it was a "front" (Street jargon for facade).

Homicide Interview #2

On June 25, 2016, Suspect **Juan Martinez** was interviewed again by Homicide Detectives Steven Blagg and Guillermo Morales at Norwalk Sheriff's Station. The interview was summarized in the Homicide book **[EXHIBIT A, pages 105-106]**. The interview was transcribed by Homicide Bureau. The following is a brief summary of the interview.

Investigator Blagg advised Suspect Martinez of his Miranda Rights. He waived his Miranda Rights and agreed to speak with investigators. Suspect Martinez admitted the gun was his. He said he was scared to go back to jail. Investigators asked Suspect Martinez if he shot at deputies. Suspect Martinez replied, "If I did, I was scared. I was terrified. I didn't know if it was going to make them go away or anything…"

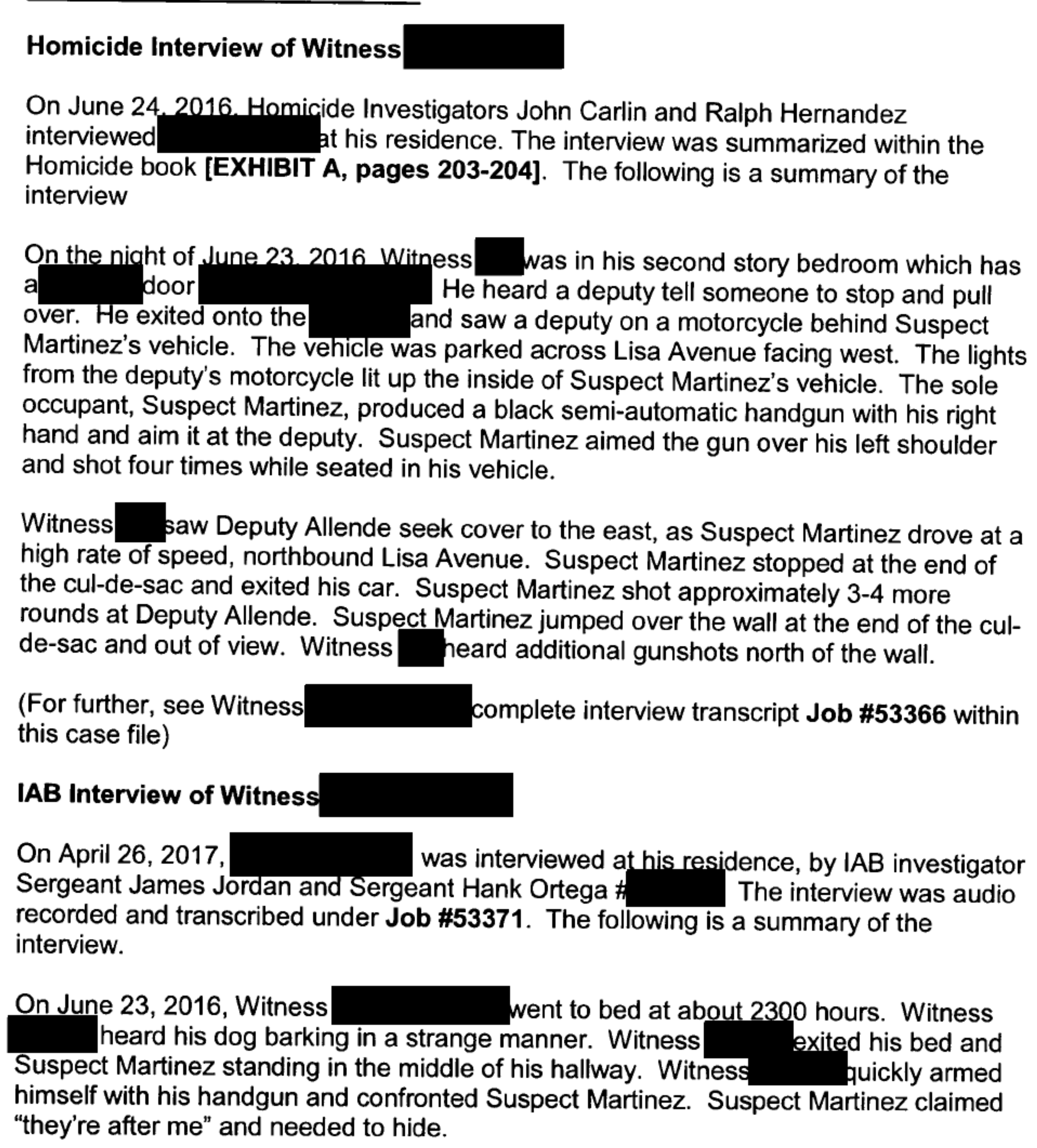
Suspect Martinez said he did not force Witness [redacted] to stay in the garage. He asked Witness [redacted] if he would help him because the police were looking for him because of the shots he fired.

Suspect Martinez injected a half of a syringe of methamphetamine approximately 15 minutes before this incident and admitted to using for 9 years.

IAB Note: **Homicide Bureau Investigators [redacted] Suspect Martinez jail phone calls through the [redacted] ([redacted]). They summarized the phone call's incriminating conversations. [EXHIBIT A, pages 132-135].**

IAB Interview

On April 5, 2017, IAB Investigators Sergeant James Jordan and Sergeant Carmen Arballo attempted to interview Suspect Martinez at the Twin Towers Correctional Facility. Suspect Martinez declined to be interviewed. Suspect Martinez's statement declining to be interviewed was audio recorded and transcribed under **Job #53169.**



NON-EMPLOYEE STATEMENTS:

Homicide Interview of Witness [redacted]

On June 24, 2016, Homicide Investigators John Carlin and Ralph Hernandez interviewed [redacted] at his residence. The interview was summarized within the Homicide book **[EXHIBIT A, pages 203-204]**. The following is a summary of the interview

On the night of June 23, 2016, Witness [redacted] was in his second story bedroom which has a [redacted] door [redacted] He heard a deputy tell someone to stop and pull over. He exited onto the [redacted] and saw a deputy on a motorcycle behind Suspect Martinez's vehicle. The vehicle was parked across Lisa Avenue facing west. The lights from the deputy's motorcycle lit up the inside of Suspect Martinez's vehicle. The sole occupant, Suspect Martinez, produced a black semi-automatic handgun with his right hand and aim it at the deputy. Suspect Martinez aimed the gun over his left shoulder and shot four times while seated in his vehicle.

Witness [redacted] saw Deputy Allende seek cover to the east, as Suspect Martinez drove at a high rate of speed, northbound Lisa Avenue. Suspect Martinez stopped at the end of the cul-de-sac and exited his car. Suspect Martinez shot approximately 3-4 more rounds at Deputy Allende. Suspect Martinez jumped over the wall at the end of the cul-de-sac and out of view. Witness [redacted] heard additional gunshots north of the wall.

(For further, see Witness [redacted] complete interview transcript **Job #53366** within this case file)

IAB Interview of Witness [redacted]

On April 26, 2017, [redacted] was interviewed at his residence, by IAB investigator Sergeant James Jordan and Sergeant Hank Ortega #[redacted] The interview was audio recorded and transcribed under **Job #53371**. The following is a summary of the interview.

On June 23, 2016, Witness [redacted] went to bed at about 2300 hours. Witness [redacted] heard his dog barking in a strange manner. Witness [redacted] exited his bed and Suspect Martinez standing in the middle of his hallway. Witness [redacted] quickly armed himself with his handgun and confronted Suspect Martinez. Suspect Martinez claimed "they're after me" and needed to hide.

Witness [redacted] told Suspect Martinez to raise his hands above his head and keep them there. Witness [redacted] saw a bulge in Suspect Martinez's right side waistband area which he recognized as a gun.

Witness [redacted] told Suspect Martinez to exit his home through the front door. Suspect Martinez exited the home walked north into the street. Suspect Martinez walked in front a truck stopped in the middle of Oak Street. Suspect Martinez squatted down along the front of the truck and then, seconds later, the shooting started. Witness [redacted] heard approximately 6-8 rounds fired. Suspect Martinez ran northbound out of sight.

(For further, see Witness [redacted] complete interview transcript **Job #53352** and **Job #53353** within this case file)

Homicide Interview of Witness [redacted]

On June 24, 2016, Homicide Investigators Sergeant Marc Boskovich and Louie Aguilera interviewed [redacted] in front of his residence [redacted] The interview was summarized within the Homicide book **[EXHIBIT A, pages 182-183]**. The following is a summary of the interview

On the night of June 23, 2016, Witness [redacted] was in his residence watching television. He heard approximately four gunshots. He exited his residence toward Oak Street and saw deputies who advised him to return to his home. Witness [redacted] complied and once inside his residence he walked toward the northeast facing window and looked outside. He heard a deputy say "There he is." Witness [redacted] saw a male (Suspect Martinez) with something dark in his right hand, run northbound between vehicles at [redacted] Oak Street. Witness [redacted] then heard several gunshots. Witness [redacted] stated he thought Suspect Martinez fired at deputies first. Witness [redacted] saw deputy personnel shooting at the suspect.

(For further, see Witness [redacted] complete interview transcript **Job #53349** within this case file)

Homicide Interview of Witness [redacted]

On June 24, 2016, Homicide Investigators Steven Blagg and Sergeant Guillermo Morales interviewed [redacted] at the Lakewood Sheriff Station. The interview was summarized within the homicide book **[EXHIBIT A pages, 146-147].** The following is a summary of the interview.

Witness [redacted] resided in a converted garage located at [redacted] in the city of Bellflower. On June 23, 2016, Witness [redacted] was asleep in his bed when Suspect Martinez entered his residence through an unlocked rear door. Witness [redacted] described Suspect Martinez as sweating profusely and extremely nervous. He asked

Witness [redacted] for a shirt and to help him hide from the police. Suspect Martinez told Witness [redacted] if he cooperated, he (Suspect Martinez) would not hurt him.

Suspect Martinez laid on Witness [redacted] twin day bed and placed an object from his pants pocket under the bed on the floor. Suspect Martinez appeared to fall asleep. Witness [redacted] attempted to leave his residence, but Suspect Martinez asked him where he was going. Witness [redacted] felt he was not free to leave and feared Suspect Martinez would hurt him. After several hours, Witness [redacted] heard his name over the police public address system. When he heard his name, he walked out of his residence via the rear door and contacted deputy personnel.

(For further, see Witness [redacted] complete interview transcript **Job #53350** within this case file)

Homicide Interview of [redacted]

On June 24, 2016, Homicide Investigators John Carlin and Sergeant Ralph Hernandez interviewed [redacted] at his residence ([redacted]. The interview was summarized within the homicide book **[EXHIBIT A pages, 211]**. The following is a summary of the interview.

On the night of June 23, 2016, Mr. [redacted] was upstairs, in his residence, lying in his bed when his little [redacted] awoke him and told him she heard gunshots. He looked out a window and saw a deputy standing near his downed motorcycle in the middle of the street. He saw the deputy shoot approximately five times. It appeared the deputy got shot in the arm. Mr. [redacted] saw several assisting deputies arrive, but remained in his residence and did not see or hear anything else.

Homicide Interview of [redacted]

On June 24, 2016, Homicide Investigators Stephan Rubino and Peter Hecht interviewed [redacted] at the command post of the incident. The interview was summarized within the homicide book **[EXHIBIT A, page 145]**. The following is a summary of the interview.

On the night of June 23, 2016, Ms. [redacted] lived with her [redacted] and [redacted] at [redacted] in the city of Bellflower. Ms. [redacted] was in her bedroom and heard gunshots. She looked out of the east side door of her residence and then heard glass shatter at the rear of the house. She heard her [redacted] who was inside the rear restroom of the home, scream "No! No! No!" She opened the bathroom door and saw Suspect Martinez sticking his head through the south facing bathroom window. She saw broken glass on the floor at the base of the window. Suspect Martinez, who spoke in Spanish, said, "Please help me!" Ms. [redacted] grabbed her [redacted] and fled out of their residence to the north. She did not see or hear anything further.

Ms. [redacted] positively identified a Department of Motor Vehicles (DMV) photograph of Witness [redacted] as her garage tenant.

Homicide Interview of [redacted]

On June 24, 2016, Homicide Investigators Stephan Rubino and Peter Hecht interviewed [redacted] at the command post of the incident. The interview was summarized within the Homicide book **[EXHIBIT A, page 146]**. The following is a summary of the interview.

On the night of June 23, 2016, Mrs. [redacted] was the in the bathroom brushing her teeth. The bathroom window shattered and she saw an unknown man (Suspect Martinez) place his head through the broken window into the bathroom. She screamed and exited the bathroom were she was met by her [redacted] The fled the residence to the north. Mrs. [redacted] described Suspect Martinez as a "cholo" approximately 25 years old. He was clean shaven with a long nose. Mrs. [redacted] did not see or hear anything further.

Homicide Bureau interviewed the following civilian witnesses who heard gunfire, but did not visually witness any gun battle.

[redacted] **[EXHIBIT A, pages 204-205].**

[redacted] **[EXHIBIT A, page 205].**

[redacted] **[EXHIBIT A, page 206].**

[redacted] **[EXHIBIT A, page 209]**

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[redacted] **[EXHIBIT A, page 212].**

Homicide Bureau interviewed the following civilian witnesses who did not witness any portion of the incident.

[redacted] [EXHIBIT A, page 116].

[redacted] [EXHIBIT A, pages 116-118]. (Job #53365)

[redacted] [EXHIBIT A, pages 125-126]. (Job #53363)

[redacted] [EXHIBIT A, pages 126-127]. (Job #53346)

[redacted] [EXHIBIT A, page 127]. (Job #53346)

[redacted] [EXHIBIT A, page 127-128]. (Job #53346)

[redacted] EXHIBIT A, page 128-129]. (Job #53348)